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SPECIAL COMMUNICATIONS

Held at London, on the 5th August, A.L. 5880; Rockwood, on the
24th May, A.L. 5881; Clark's Mills, on the 16th June, A.L.
5881; Meaford, on the 24th June, A.L. 5881; Carleton
Place, on the 30th June, A.L. 5881; Dundela, on
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Grand Lodge of Canada.

PROCEEDINGS.

At an Especial Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of Canada, held at the City of London on Thursday, the 5th day of August, A.D. 1880, A.L. 5880.

PRESENT :

M. W. Bro. J. A. Henderson, Q.C., D.C.L., Grand Master,
On the Throne.

R. W. Bro.	James Moffat,	Deputy Grand Master.
" " "	T. C. Macnabb,	D. D. G. M. St Clair Dis.
" " "	Robert Mackay,	" London "
" " "	DeWitt H. Martyn,	" Huron "
" " "	R. J. Hovenden,	Grand Senior Warden.
" " "	Hugh Walker,	" Junior Warden.
" " "	The Rev. William Hay,	" Chaplain.
" " "	Otto Klotz,	as " Treasurer.
" " "	J. H. Benson,	as " Registrar.
" " "	J. J. Mason,	" Secretary.
" " "	J. E. Brooke,	as " Senior Deacon.
V. " "	H. G. Lindsay,	as " Junior Deacon.
" " "	Rev. G. M. Innes,	as " Supt. of Works.
" " "	F. J. Hood,	as " Dir. of Ceremonies.
V. " "	J. R. Robertson,	as Assistant Grand Secretary.
" " "	David Glass, Q.C.,	as Grand Sword Bearer.
" " "	W. H. Street,	as " Pursuivant.

R. W. Bro. D. Burnham Tracy,	}	as Grand Stewards.
V. " " F. W. H. C. Jarvis,		
" " John Sinclair,		
" " T. R. Powell,		
" " T. Beattie,		
" " L. G. Jarvis,		
" " J. R. Anderson,		
" " W. K. Atkinson,	}	as Grand Tyler.
" James Heron,		

Together with Masters, Past Masters and Brethren hailing from the following Lodges, viz. :—

The Ancient St. John's, 3, Kingston; Barton, 6, Hamilton; St. John's, 20, London; Strict Observance, 27, Hamilton; St. George's, 42, London; King Solomon, 43, Woodstock; St. Thomas, 44, St. Thomas; Wellington, 46, Chatham; Great Western, 47, Windsor; Victoria, 56, Sarnia; Acacia, 61, Hamilton; Kilwinning, 64, London; St. James, 73, St. Marys; St. John's, 75, Toronto; Oxford, 76, Woodstock; St. John's, 81, Mt. Brydges; Beaver, 83, Strathroy; Northern Light, 93, Kincardine; St. Paul's, 107, Lambeth; Cassia, 116, Thedford; Lebanon Forest, 133, Exeter; Lebanon, 139, Oshawa; Burns, 153, Wyoming; Irving, 154, Lucan; Britannia, 170, Seaforth; Ayr, 172, Ayr; Bothwell, 179, Bothwell; Belmont, 190, Belmont; Scotland, 193, Scotland; Tuscan, 195, London; St. Johns, 209-a, London; Craig, 214, Ailsa Craig; Bernard, 225, Listowel; Doric, 233, Parkhill; Havelock, 238, Watford; Thistle, 250, Embro; Clifton, 254, Clifton; Sydenham, 255, Dresden; Guelph, 258, Guelph, Springfield, 259, Springfield; Washington, 260, Petrolia; Parthenon, 267, Chatham; Verulam, 268, Bobcaygeon; Lorne, 282, Glencoe; Wingham, 286, Wingham; Doric, 289, Lobo; Preston, 297, Preston; Durham, 306, Durham; Blair, 314, Palmerston; The Hammond, 327, Wardsville; Corinthian, 330, London East; Merrill, 344, Dorchester; Nilestown, 345, Nilestown; St. Marys, 351, St. Marys; Dufferin, 364, Melbourne; Mimico, 369, Islington; Middlesex, 378, Bryanston; Union, 380, London; Doric, 382, Hamilton; Zion, 1, Detroit, Michigan; Union of Strict Ob-

servance, 3, Detroit, Michigan; Flushing, 223, Flushing, Michigan; Livingstone, 599, Stonefield, Scotland, and others.

The Grand Lodge was opened in AMPLE FORM at half-past two o'clock, afternoon, in the Drill Shed, and from thence the brethren marched in procession, preceded by the Band of the 7th Fusiliers, to the site of the proposed Temple on the north-west corner of Richmond and King Streets.

The front of the procession having reached the site, a halt was made, and the ranks opened out and faced inwards, when the Grand Master, supported by the Grand Officers, passed through to the north-east corner, where a platform had been erected for their convenience.

R. W. Bro. the Rev. Wm. Hay then offered up the following prayer.

Great Architect of the Universe, Maker and Ruler of all worlds, deign from Thy Celestial Temple, from realms of light and glory to help us in all the purposes of our present assembly. We humbly invoke Thee to give us at this and at all times, wisdom in all our doings, strength of mind in all our difficulties, and the beauty of harmony in all our communications. Permit us, O Thou Author of light, great source of love and happiness, to erect this building so that hereafter it may be useful for the important purposes for which it was intended.

The R. W. the Grand Secretary read the following scroll :—

In the name and by the favor of the

Glorious Architect of Heaven and Earth,

On this fifth day of August, A. D., 1880.

And in the Era of Freemasonry, Anno Lucis, 5880, and in the Forty-Third year of our Gracious Sovereign

Victoria,

Queen of Great Britain, Ireland, Empress of India, and the Dependencies in Europe, Asia, Africa, Australasia, Dominion of Canada, etc.

His Excellency, the Right Honorable the Marquis of Lorne, K. T., G. C. M. G., P. C., being Governor-General of Canada.

The Hon. John Beverly Robinson, Q. C., being Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario.

Right Honorable Sir John A. Macdonald, K. C. B., &c., being Minister of the Interior, and Premier of the Dominion of Canada.

John Campbell, Esq., Mayor of the City of London.

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This Corner Stone of the Masonic Temple,

**Erected by the Masonic Fraternity of London,
was laid by**

**Most Worshipful Bro. James Alexander Henderson, Esq., Q. C., D. C. L.,
Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M., of Canada,
assisted by Grand Officers, and a large concourse of the Brethren, in
accordance with the ceremonies and usages of the Order.**

Which may the Great Architect of the Universe ever protect and prosper.

MASONIC BODIES IN THE CITY.

St. John's Lodge,	A. F. & A. M.,	No. 20.
St. George's Lodge,	" "	No. 42.
Kilwinning Lodge,	" "	No. 64.
Tuscan Lodge,	" "	No. 195.
St. John's Lodge,	" "	No. 209 a.
Corinthian Lodge,	" "	No. 330.
Union Lodge,	" "	No. 380.
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St. George's R. A. Chapter,		No. 5.
Enoch Council, R. & S. Masters,		No. 10.
Richard Cœur de Lion Preceptory and Priory		No. 4.
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CONTRACTORS.—Masonry, Goldsmith and Garrett; Carpentering, Thos. Green & Co.; Painting, Wm. Noble; Galvanized Iron, Douglas Bros.; Plastering, Frank McIntosh; Plumbing, Saunders & Nott; Iron Castings,

Poulson & Eager ; Slatting, George Riddle ; Architects, Tracy & Durand.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

The Grand Secretary then announced that in the glass bottle to be deposited in the cavity in the stone were placed :—

The Inscription or Scroll,

A Copy of the Constitution of the Grand Lodge of Canada.

A copy of the printed Proceedings of the Grand Lodge, for 1879.

A Register of the City and suburban Lodges, with lists of officers.

A Copy of the Constitution of the London Masonic Mutual Benefit Association.

Copies of the London Daily and Weekly newspapers, *Free Press*, *Advertiser* and *Herald* ; a copy of the *Farmer's Advocate* for July, 1880 ; Silver Coins, 50c., 25c., 20c., 10c. and 5c. ; Copper Coin, 1c. piece, and a 25c. currency scrip.

V. W. Bro. R. Lewis, President of the Masonic Temple Company then addressed the Grand Master, as follows :— Most Worshipful Sir.—“ I have been deputed by the Directors of the Masonic Temple Company to present you with this trowel, as a slight testimonial of our esteem for you personally, and in commemoration of the important work to which you have kindly lent your aid today.”

The trowel, which was a very beautiful specimen of the silver-smith's handiwork, bore the following inscription :

Presented to

JAS. A. HENDERSON, Esq., Q. C.,

Most Worshipful Grand Master

of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. Masons of Canada,

on the occasion of his laying the Corner Stone

of the Masonic Temple, London, Ontario,

5th August, A. L. 5880.

In receiving the handsome gift, the Grand Master said :— “ Accept my thanks for this beautiful trowel which you have presented to me. I receive it with pleasure, and shall retain it as a pleasing memento of the work so happily begun. The passing of

the trowel among Freemasons as well as among operative masons is an emblem of fraternal feeling. In that sense I accept the gift, with the fervent wish that we may ever continue to be a society of friends and brothers, among whom no contention should ever arise, but that noble contention, or rather emulation, of who can best work and best agree."

The cement having been spread, the upper stone was lowered with three halts, at which intervals the band played bars of the National Anthem; when it had been guided into its place, the Grand Junior Warden applied the plumb-rule, the Grand Senior Warden the level, and the deputy Grand Master the square, and they having reported that the stone was just, true, and properly laid, the Grand Master said, "Having full confidence in your skill in our royal art, it remains for me to finish the work." He then struck the stone three times with the gavel and said: "*Well made, truly laid, true and trusty*; may this undertaking be conducted and completed by the craftsmen, according to the grand plan, in Peace, Harmony and Brotherly Love."

As they were handed to him, he poured out the customary libations, saying: "I strew corn upon the stone as an emblem of Plenty, I pour wine on it as the emblem of Cheerfulness, and I anoint it with oil as the emblem of Comfort and Consolation. May corn, wine, and oil, and all the necessities of life, abound among men, throughout the world, and may the blessing of the Supreme Architect of the universe be upon this edifice, and all connected with it."

Response: So mote it be.

The implements having been handed to the W.M.G.M., he presented them to the Architect, saying: "The foundation stone of this building being now laid, I present you the implements applied to it, also the plans, in full confidence that, as a skilful and faithful workman, you will use them in such a manner, that the building may arise in order, harmony and beauty, being per-

fectured in beauty and strength, that it may answer every purpose for which it is intended, to your credit and the satisfaction and honor of those who have selected you for the work."

The M. W. the Grand Master then delivered the following address :

Men and Brethren here assembled,—On special invitation, the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of Canada have met to take part with me in laying the corner stone of an edifice which will not only be a memorial of the zeal, enterprise and architectural taste of the brethren of this flourishing city of the Western peninsula—"the Garden of Canada" but which will prove to be one of, if not the finest, of the buildings in your city. As the Grand Master of an Order, venerated for its antiquity and respected for its history and good works, I am proud to be in a position to show my esteem for the brethren of this city, and to mark my approbation of the commendable efforts of a body of Free Masons who have the courage and self-reliance to enter on the erection of so noble a Masonic Temple. The full representation here to-day of the Grand Lodge, and the goodly array of the brethren clothed in "purple and blue," show that the occasion of laying the corner stone with the ceremonial peculiar to our craft has called forth the general feeling of good will, sympathy and encouragement. The large assembly proves that the laying of the corner stone of a building like the one in progress ought to be celebrated by due ceremonial. Dignity and importance are added to the occasion, and the public see that there are legitimate authorities on whom a call may be made for the discharge of such duties. The ceremonies of this day convey to the brethren a meaning appropriate to the occasion, and awaken in the heart of the most stolid and indifferent person feelings of respect and veneration. Indeed, to those who are not Masons this day's proceedings must create a regard for an Order which justly claims the Bible for its guide, and takes care that every ceremony has a meaning and a tendency to impress on the mind the many excellencies which adorn our profession. From the elevation and

plans of the intended structure produced to me, I am enabled to judge of the handsome appearance the Masonic Temple will have when reared in our midst, and I consider this day's celebration an event not only in Masonic, but in architectural history. Custom, time-honoured, has enjoined that on auspicious occasions like the present, a few short and general remarks should be made respecting the ancient and honourable fraternity of Freemasons ; an Order which is defined as a science which includes all other sciences, but more especially that which teaches a knowledge of ourselves, and the duties we owe to God and man. It awakens in our minds feelings of brotherly love and universal benevolence, and it endeavours to promote peace in raising the structure of moral duties, and in refraining from allowing differences of opinion to disturb good feeling. In a word, it is calculated to produce the greatest public good and private blessing. Hence it is impossible to practice the science of Freemasonry without becoming better men. It is an institution which binds together those who have no other bonds of union and enforces the practice of universal benevolence on those whose differences of religious and perhaps political opinions would, were it not for the Order, make them regard one another as enemies and not as brethren. It places all Masons on a level. It teaches us to promote the same great end, without offending each other in word or action. Freemasonry inculcates due obedience to the laws of the country in which we reside. On our entrance into the Brotherhood, I may say on the very threshold of the Order, we were instructed to conform with cheerfulness to the Government of the country in which we live. Let us, then, as Free and Accepted Masons of Canada, testify our respect and love for the Sovereign of these happy realms by giving three hearty cheers for the Queen—God bless her !

Three hearty cheers were then given, in accordance with the Grand Master's wishes, after which two verses of the National Anthem were sung by the Brethren.

The procession was then reformed, and the brethren returned to the Drill Shed, and the Grand Lodge having been closed in

SPECIAL COMMUNICATION, ROCKWOOD.

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AMPLE FORM, the visiting brethren were escorted to the City Hall and invited to partake of refreshments.

ATTEST.



J. J. Maron
Grand Secretary.

Grand Lodge of Canada.

PROCEEDINGS.

At an Especial Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of Canada, held at the village of Rockwood, in the County of Wellington, on Tuesday, the 24th day of May, A.D. 1881, A.L. 5881.

PRESENT :

R. W. Bro. J. M. Meakins,	Acting Grand Master.
“ “ J. H. Moore,	as Deputy Grand Master.
“ “ Arch. Webster,	as Grand Senior Warden.
R. “ “ Hugh Walker,	“ Junior Warden.
“ “ Rev. W. J. Pigott,	as “ Chaplain.
R. “ “ J. J. Mason,	“ Secretary.
“ “ John Scoon,	as “ Senior Deacon.
“ “ John Shaw,	as “ Junior Deacon.
“ “ H. Hunt,	as “ Dir. of Ceremonies.
“ “ Charles Stark,	as “ Pursuivant.
“ “ Wm. Freeman,	} as “ Stewards.
“ “ Edward Eagle,	
“ Robert Agnew,	as “ Tyler.

Together with Masters, Past Masters and Brethren hailing from the following Lodges, viz. :—

Strict Observance, 27, Hamilton ; St. Clair, 135, Milton ; Speed, 180, Guelph ; Credit, 219, Georgetown ; Guelph, 258, Guelph ; Wellington, 271, Erin ; New Hope, 279, Hespeler ; Preston, 297, Preston ; Humber, 305, Weston ; Walker, 321, Acton ; Temple, 324, Hamilton ; Waverley, 361, Guelph ; and Doric, 382, Hamilton.

The Grand Lodge having been opened in FORM at high twelve Rt. W. Bro. J. M. Meakins stated that he had been deputed by the M. Worshipful the Grand Master to perform the ceremony of laying the Corner Stone of St. John's Episcopal Church, about to be erected at Rockwood.

A procession was formed in accordance with the regulations as laid down in the Constitution of the Grand Lodge, and proceeded to the site of the Church, when a halt was made, and the ranks opened out and faced inwards, when the Acting Grand Master, supported by the Grand Officers, passed to the North-east corner of the building, where a platform had been erected for the Grand Officers and brethren.

The opening ceremony commenced with singing an appropriate hymn, after which Bro., the Rev. W. J. Pigott, the Acting Grand Chaplain, offered up a suitable prayer, on the conclusion of which the Acting Grand Master delivered an address, explaining the presence of the Order, and the ancient nature of the ceremony.

The Grand Secretary then read the following scroll.

In the name and by the favor of the

Glorious Architect of Heaven and Earth.

On the Queen's Birthday,
the 24th of May, A. D. 1881, A. L. 5881, and in the forty-fourth
year of the reign of our Gracious Sovereign,

Victoria,

Queen of Great Britain and Ireland, Empress of India and the Dependencies
in Europe, Asia, Africa, Australasia, Dominion of Canada, etc.

His Excellency the Right Honorable the Marquis of Lorne, K. T. G., C.
M. G., P. C., being Governor-General of the Dominion of Canada.

The Honorable John Beverly Robinson, Q. C., being Lieutenant-Governor
of the Province of Ontario.

The Right Hon. Sir John A. Macdonald, K. C. B., being Premier of the
Dominion of Canada.

The Hon. Oliver Mowat, Q. C., being Attorney-General and Premier
of Ontario.

Thomas Waters being Reeve of the Township of Eramosa.

M. W. Bro. James A. Henderson, Q. C., Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M., of Canada.

The Right Rev. Thomas Brook Fuller, D. D., D. C. L., Bishop of the Diocese of Niagara.

The Rev. W. J. Pigott, Incumbent of the Parish of Acton, Rockwood and Eramosa.

Frank Dunn and William Laight, Church Wardens.

BUILDING COMMITTEE.—William Laight, F. Dunn, R. Moore, G. Moore and J. Sockett.

ARCHITECT.—J. J. Hall, of Guelph.

BUILDERS.—For Masonry, Hume and Steele, Georgetown. . For Carpenter work, &c., Stevens and Son, Guelph.

This Corner Stone of St. John's Church,

Rockwood, was laid by R. W. Bro. J. Marshal Meakins, D. D. G. M., on behalf of the M. W. the Grand Master, assisted by the Grand Lodge Officers and a large concourse of Brethren, with the usual ceremonies and usages of the Order.
Which may the G. A. O. T. U. ever protect and prosper.

The Grand Secretary then announced that in the tin box to be deposited in the cavity in the stone were placed :

The Inscription or Scroll.

Copy of the proceedings of the Provincial Synod, 1880.

Copy of the Journal of the Diocese of Niagara, 1878.

Copy of the Canadian Almanac for 1881.

Copy of the *Dominion Churchman*, under date May 19th, 1881.

Copy of the *Evangelical Churchman* under date May, 1881.

Copy of the *Mail and Globe*, May 24th, 1881.

Copy of the Guelph *Herald* and *Mercury*.

Copy of the order of exercises used on the occasion of laying the corner-stone of this church.

Copy of the bills and posters announcing the event.

One ten dollar bill of the Confederate States of America.

A list of the names of all persons who, up to date, have subscribed money, labor or material, towards the erection of the new church.

A list of clergymen and laymen assisting on this occasion.

A collection of different coins of the realm.

Copy Algoma *Missionary News*, April, 1881.

Copy of the proceedings of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. Masons of Canada, for 1880.

At this part of the ceremony Bro. the Rev. W. J. Pigott, on behalf of the Building Committee of the Church, presented the acting Grand Master with a beautiful Silver Trowel, suitably engraved.

The Acting Grand Master expressed his sincere thanks for the beautiful gift, and remarked that nothing but a kindly and fraternal feeling dictated its presentation, and assured the Rev. gentleman that he would ever retain it as an honored memento of the day's proceedings.

The Acting Grand Master having spread the mortar, the stone was lowered with three halts. When placed in its proper position, the Deputy Grand Master and Wardens tested the stone with the Square, Level, and Plumb, and the Grand Master pronounced it well made and truly laid. Corn, wine and oil were poured upon it with symbolical explanation, and the Acting Grand Master entrusted to the architect and builders the tools and plans with which to complete the building.

The procession was then reformed, and the Brethren returned to the temporary Lodge Room, and the Grand Lodge having been closed in form, the visiting brethren were escorted to the Town Hall and hospitably entertained.

ATTEST.



H. J. Maxon

Grand Secretary.

Grand Lodge of Canada.

PROCEEDINGS.

an Especial Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of Canada, held at Clark's Mills, in the Township of Camden East, on Thursday, the 16th day of June, A.D. 1881, A.L. 5881.

PRESENT :

W. Bro. James A. Henderson, Q.C., D.C.L., Grand Master,
On the Throne.

W. Bro. Robt. W. Longmore,	as Deputy Grand Master.
" " Peter Johnston,	as Grand Senior Warden.
" " Wm. H. Miller,	as " Junior Warden.
" " Rev. R. J. Craig,	as " Chaplain.
" " John Ewart,	as " Treasurer.
" " Ogden Hinch,	as " Secretary..
" " Cyrus R. Allison,	as " Senior Deacon.
" " Matthew Shannon,	as " Junior Deacon.
" " A. K. Aylsworth,	as " Dir. of Ceremonies.
" " James Ferguson,	as " Sword Bearer.
" " M. B. Hawley,	as " Pursuivant.
" " M. I. Beeman,	} as " Stewards.
" " John S. Miller,	
" " Joseph Connolly,	
" " Jacob V. Detlor,	as " Tyler.

gether with Masters, Past Masters and Brethren hailing from following Lodges, viz. :—

The Ancient St. John's, 3, Kingston ; Union, 9, Napanee ;
nce Edward, 18, Picton ; Albion, 109, Harrowsmith ; Prince of

Wales, 146, Newburgh, Filius Viduae, 189, Adolphustown; Prince Arthur, 228, Odessa; Minden, 253, Kingston; Mount Sinai, 280, Napanee; and Victoria, 299, Centreville.

The Grand Lodge was opened in AMPLE FORM at half-past eleven o'clock, forenoon, by M. W. Bro. James A. Henderson, Q.C., Grand Master, who stated that he had been requested by the minister in charge of the congregation, as well as by the W. M. and Brethren of Prince of Wales Lodge, No. 146, to lay the Corner Stone of the Presbyterian Church in this village of Clark's Mills.

A procession, in accordance with the regulations as laid down in the book of Constitution, was formed, and proceeded to the site of the proposed building, headed by the Newburgh Brass Band, and arriving at the building a halt was made, the ranks opened to the right and left, faced inwards, and the Grand Master, supported by the Grand Officers, passed through to the platform which had been erected.

The ceremony was commenced by the Acting Grand Chaplain, offering the following prayer :

Great Architect of the Universe, Maker and Ruler of all worlds, deign from Thy Celestial Temple, from realms of light and glory, to help us in all the purposes of this present assembly. We humbly invoke Thee to give us, at this and all times, wisdom in our doings, strength of mind in all our difficulties and the beauty of harmony in all our communications. Permit us, O Thou Author of Life and Light, Great Source of love and happiness, to erect this Church set apart for Thy glory and honor, designed in wisdom, raised in strength, and finished in beauty. May we all be characterized by faith in God, hope unfailing and charity toward all. Response : So mote it be.

The Acting Grand Secretary then read the following scroll :—

In the name and by the favor of the

Great Architect of Heaven and Earth,

On the sixteenth day of June, A.D., 1881,

And of the Masonic Era, 5881, in the Forty-fifth year of the reign of our
Gracious Sovereign

Victoria,

Queen of Great Britain, Ireland and the Colonies, Empress of India, etc.

His Excellency, the Right Honourable the Marquis of Lorne, K. T. G.,
C. M. G., P. C., being Governor-General of the Dominion of Canada.

The Honorable John Beverly Robinson, being Lieutenant-Governor of
Ontario.

The Right Honorable Sir John A. Macdonald, being Premier of the
Dominion of Canada, and

The Honorable Oliver Mowat, being Premier of Ontario.

M. W. Bro. James A. Henderson, Q.C., D.C.L., Grand Master of the
Grand Lodge of A. F. and A. Masons of Canada.

The Pastor in charge of the Congregation, Rev. James Cormack.

TRUSTEES OF CHURCH.—Samuel Longmore, Robert Tree, James Smith,
Thomas B. Wilson, and Joseph and Robert W. Longmore.

ARCHITECT.—Andrew Davidson.

CONTRACTORS.—Mason Work,—William and Hugh Saul; Carpenter and
Joiner Work,—Saltern G. Brown.

This Corner Stone of Presbyterian Church, in the village of Clark's
Mills, was laid by Dr. James A. Henderson, Q.C., M.W.G.M. of A. F. &
A. M. of Canada, assisted by the Grand Officers and a large number of the
Brethren, with the usual ceremonies and usages of the Order.

Which may the G. A. O. T. U. ever protect and bless.

The Scroll with copies of the leading newspapers and some
current coin of the Dominion, were enclosed in a tin box and
placed in the cavity of the stone.

At this part of the ceremony, the minister in charge presented
the Grand Master with a solid silver trowel.

On receiving the trowel the Grand Master said he received the
gift with pleasure, and should retain it as a pleasing memento of
the work so happily begun.

The necessary mortar being laid, the Grand Master said :—I

spread this cement as an emblem of that cement of peace and good-will which I trust will ever prevail among those who may worship in this edifice about to be erected.

The upper stone was then lowered to its proper position with the usual ceremonies.

The Grand Master then delivered the following address :—

MEN AND BRETHREN.—At the request of the clergyman and congregation of this Church and being also called thereto by the Worshipful Master and Brethren of the Prince of Wales Lodge, No. 146, I have laid according to Masonic usage the corner stone of a sacred edifice dedicated to the service of the Most High. It is a source of great pleasure that as Grand Master of the Honorable Fraternity of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, I have been asked to lay the corner stone of a building which is intended for the public worship of that Great Being whom we as Masons are taught to reverence and adore, from the very moment we enter on the threshold of Masonry. We publicly acknowledge that while performing our time-hallowed mysteries, God's Holy Book is ever open to our view and its contents are impressed on our hearts. The Mason who acts up to its principles which are so continually inculcated, must be a good moral and religious man. As Masons we have set apart this building for the worship of God, and we fervently pray that His blessing may rest upon all those who worship within its walls, may the pastor who officiates win perishing souls from the evils of this world, and the congregation exercise a true spirit of devotion and be imbued with that blessed desire of living peacefully with all men. This is one of the principles of a true Mason. Freemasonry is no new society sprung, within a few years, into existence, but it has its foundations in by-gone ages, and still pursues its onward course. What has preserved it through so many vicissitudes? What has kept it ever flourishing but that gift of brotherly love, without which all must hasten to ruin, and when "Brotherly love" is followed by "Relief" and "Truth", an edifice is completed, founded on a rock which malice cannot shake or time destroy. Some here assembled may ask, why, if there is

any good in the Order of Freemasonry, do not the brethren let the world at large be informed of it, and so let all share in Masonic knowledge? I assert that to every intelligent man, when properly vouched for, and who can prove himself worthy, are our mysteries, under proper cautions, revealed. However humble he may be in the walks of life, however little he may possess of this world's goods, no man is debarred from entering our order, our care being that the honor and credit of our Society may not be diminished by unworthy admissions. Men of good and sound morals are what we require and expect. It must not be forgotten that Freemasonry includes a multitude of men of every rank and every shade of moral and political feeling. In the different handicrafts, trades and businesses those only who by diligent attention and labor have proved themselves fit, can attain to that knowledge of their business which will crown their labors with success; and do these men proclaim abroad their trade secrets? Is not the apprentice bound to keep the secrets of his master, and not to tell the art and mystery of his trade? It is through the efforts our Society has made to communicate the advantages of the fraternity to good and reliable men, and to these alone, that our predecessors have been enabled to transmit to us an ancient and honorable order. To my brethren let me address a few words. Freemasonry will not make a lasting impression, if we do not act up to our principles and so let the world at large see that our service is not mere lip service, that the principles we recommend others to adopt and follow out are practised by ourselves, that the brotherly love we recommend to others is acted up to by ourselves; in all these lies the true secret of Masonic success. Other Societies which have been formed, in many respects in imitation of our order, have only had a short-lived prosperity. That we have been enabled to survive through so many seasons of adversity; that the ring of "the working tools" is being heard wheresoever intellectual man exists, are proofs that the great moral truths of the order are not only professed but practised. In our intercourse with each other let us never lose remembrance of the duties inculcated by the Five points of fellowship. These duties can be carried into our every day life and if persevered in, will add strength and

cohesion to the order, and prove to the world that we are truly a band of Brothers.

Let all here assembled never forget the blessings we enjoy, living in a land where all have equal civil and religious privileges, and as Canadians proud of our country, attached to our homes and devoted subjects of a beloved Sovereign, we cannot better make progress towards closing the auspicious ceremonies of the day than by giving three hearty cheers, aye three times three, for the Queen, God bless her."

The procession then re-formed and returned to the Lodge Room, and the Grand Lodge was closed in AMPLE FORM. The Brethren, together with a large number of friends repaired to the adjoining grove, where a liberal supply of refreshments were provided, after which addresses were given by the Grand Master, Acting Grand Chaplain, and the Rev. A. Young, and the Rev. James Cornack.

ATTEST.



J. J. Mason
Grand Secretary.

Grand Lodge of Canada.

PROCEEDINGS

At an Especial Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of Canada, held at the town of Meaford, in the County of Grey, on Friday, the 25th day of June, A.D. 1881, A.L. 5881.

PRESENT :

R. W. Bro. Jno. Nettleton, D.D.G.M., as Grand Master.		
" "	H. Robertson,	as Deputy Grand Master.
" "	A. Burritt,	as Grand Senior Warden.
" "	Thomas Aris,	as " Junior Warden.
" "	Rev. S. A. Dean,	as " Chaplain.
" "	R. McKnight,	as " Treasurer.
" "	Charles Pye,	as " Registrar.
" "	A. H. Stephen,	as " Secretary.
" "	W. R. Anderson,	as " Senior Deacon.
" "	Robert Edgar,	as " Junior Deacon.
" "	Peter Cameron,	as " Supt. of Works.
" "	James Clelland,	as " Dir. of Ceremonies.
" "	H. McDonald,	as Asst. Grand Dir. of Cer.
" "	W. W. Stephen,	as Grand Pursuivant.
" "	Andrew Watt,	as " Sword Bearer.
" "	J. D. McGee,	} as " Stewards.
" "	John Douglas,	
" "	J. H. Parsons,	
" "	D. McCann,	
" "	James Stovel,	as " Tyler.

Together with a large number of brethren hailing from St. John's

Lodge, No. 82, Paris ; Clinton, No. 84, Clinton ; St. George's Lodge, No. 88, Owen Sound ; Manito Lodge, No. 90, Collingwood ; St. Alban's Lodge, No. 200, Mount Forest ; Beaver Lodge, No. 234, Clarksburg ; Dufferin Lodge, No. 291, West Flamboro' ; Durham Lodge, No. 306, Durham ; North Star Lodge, No. 322, Owen Sound ; Maple Leaf Lodge, 362, Tara, and others.

R. W. Bro. John Nettleton informed the Brethren that the M. W. Grand Master had deputed him, as his representative, to take charge of the ceremonies of laying the foundation stone of a Methodist Episcopal Church, Meaford.

The Grand Lodge was opened in FORM at half-past two o'clock, afternoon.

A procession was then formed, as provided by the Constitution, under the guidance of the Acting Director of Ceremonies, and headed by the band, marched to the site of the new building, where they were received by the Rev. R. Large, pastor of the congregation.

The Church Choir then began the ceremony by singing the beautiful anthem, "The Lord is my light," after which the acting Grand Chaplain offered up a prayer, and an address was delivered by the Acting Grand Master. The Acting Grand Secretary then read the following scroll :

In the name and by the favor of

Almighty God, the Creator of Heaven and Earth.

On this twenty-fourth day of June, A. D., 1861,

And in the Era of Freemasonry, Anno Lucis, 5881, and in the Forty-Fifth year of the reign of our Beloved Sovereign

Queen Victoria,

Queen of Great Britain, Ireland, the Dominion of Canada, Australasia, &c., &c., and Empress of India.

His Excellency, the Right Honorable John Douglas Sutherland Campbell,
Marquis of Lorne, being Governor-General of the Dominion of Canada.

The Honorable John Beverly Robinson, Q. C., being Lieutenant-Governor
of the Province of Ontario.

The Right Hon. Sir John A. Macdonald, K. C. B., &c., being Premier of
the Dominion of Canada.

The Hon. Oliver Mowat, being Premier of the Province of Ontario.
James A. Henderson, Q. C., M. W. Grand Master of the Grand
Lodge of Canada.

Rev. Richard Large, Pastor of the congregation.

BUILDING COMMITTEE.—Peter Cameron, Hector McDonald and
Wm. Harkness.

SUPERINTENDENT OF WORKS.—Peter Cameron.

CONTRACTORS.—Thos. Aris for masonry, brickwork and plastering ; the
Meaford Building Manufacturing Company for carpenter work ; Alexander
Hill for painting.

The Corner Stone of this Methodist Episcopal Church,

erected by the Congregation and their friends for the worship of the Most
High, was laid by R. W. Bro. John Nettleton, Esq., D. D. G. M. of the
Georgian District, Acting Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A.
M., of Canada, attended and assisted by Officers of the Grand Lodge, and
a large concourse of the Brethren, and in accordance with the ceremonies
and usages of the Order.

Which may the Great Architect of the Universe ever protect and prosper.

The Acting Grand Master then deposited in the cavity of the
stone :

The parchment Inscription.

List of the officers and members of Pythagoras Lodge.

Names of the principal members of the Church.

Coins of the realm.

Copies of the *Globe*, *Mail*, *Christian Advocate* and *Meaford Monitor*

The different documents having been deposited, the Acting
Grand Superintendent covered the cavity with a copper plate, with
an inscription giving the date of the laying of the stone, and by
whom it was laid.

The ladies of the congregation presented the Acting Grand Master with a Silver Trowel, suitably engraved.

The stone was then lowered into its place with the usual ceremonies, the band playing the National Anthem.

The following address was then delivered by the Acting Grand Chaplain, Bro. the Rev. S. A. Dean :—

M. W. SIR AND BRETHREN :

I need scarcely say that it affords me much pleasure to be present on this very interesting occasion, and to address you on matters pertaining alike to the interests of the Church of God and the Order of A. F. & A. M., both of which institutions I have the honor to represent, and to which I am bound by ties the strongest and most sacred. I am to-day, sir, proud of the position I occupy in the Church of Christ, which he has purchased with his own blood, and in the ancient and honorable order under whose auspices this ceremony has been thus far successfully conducted. I stand here to-day as the advocate of religion and its handmaid, Freemasonry. To some with whom I was acquainted when stationed in your beautiful little town, my appearance in this company, and wearing this masonic apron may be matter for surprise ; but to all these friends let me say, that while I glory in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, I am proud also to be permitted to wear the lambskin apron of a mason. Its touch conveys no pollution ; its color speaks for its purity ; to wear it is no disgrace. I am glad to wear it to-day as the distinguishing badge of a mason ; more ancient than the Golden Fleece or Roman eagle ; more honorable than the Star and Garter, or any other order in existence. I wear it as the badge of innocence and the bond of friendship, and I fear no disgrace from contact with it, nay, I am well assured that if I never disgrace this badge, it will never disgrace me. He who wears it the most worthily is best described as a gentleman, a Mason and a christian. Freemasonry is not religion, nor is religion Freemasonry, and yet both teach the same truths, though in different forms. Ignorant and malicious persons have stigmatized

Freemasonry as organized infidelity, but the man who has passed the portals of the Lodge knows better than that. The three great principles on which Freemasonry is founded are Brotherly Love, Relief and Truth. And these are the fundamental principles on which the Church of God is built. Love to the brotherhood of mankind, relief to the distressed, and truth in its highest and noblest forms are taught in every branch of the Christian Church. Thus it is seen that Freemasonry is the handmaid of Christianity. I have no hesitation in giving utterance to this sentiment, which has been proven by the past experience of every mason, that the more earnest and devoted as a christian a man is, the better mason he will be ; and the more carefully and efficiently a mason performs his allotted task, the more intelligent and devoted Christian will he become, and it is upon this common ground that we stand when as a Lodge and a Church we together enter upon work of so important a nature as the laying of a cornerstone. I am glad to know that it is now pronounced well and truly laid, and the wish of the Lodge and myself is, that on the foundation here laid, a superstructure may be erected perfect in all its parts and honorable to the builder.

This is no new ceremony which calls us together here to-day. In every age men have erected buildings for public use and in the volume of the sacred law the laying of cornerstones is frequently noticed. The word cornerstone is fifteen times used in the scriptures. The earliest mention of it is made by the Most High himself, in the course of his conversation with Job, in which he asks "where wast thou when I laid the foundations of the earth? Whereupon are the foundations thereof fostered, or who hath laid the cornerstone thereof, when the morning stars sang together and all the sons of God shouted for joy." It appears plain to me that in all ages men have been laying for themselves cornerstones, and I call upon each man here to-day to see that the cornerstone of his christian character be well and truly laid, and then let him take heed how he buildeth thereupon. As I look to-day upon this cornerstone and view the preparations being made for the erection of a house for the worship of the Most High, I am

carried back in imagination to the time of the building of Solomon's Temple at Jerusalem. Here in days to come may be heard the sound of the trowel and the noise of the hammer, but in the erection of that magnificent and superb edifice no sound was heard of hammer, axe or saw. We speak of our boasted civilization, of the perfection to which men have attained in the mechanical arts ; of our great superiority over the ancients, but what are the facts. In the 6th chapter of the 1st Book of Kings it is stated that " The house when it was in building was built of stone, made ready before it was brought thither, so that there was neither hammer nor axe, nor any tool of iron heard in the house while it was in building." What modern architect can so arrange his work as this was arranged, in different parts of the country ? The stones, many of them of immense size, were hewn in the quarry, then carved, marked and numbered. The timber was felled and prepared in the forests of Libanon, and conveyed by floats from Tyre to Joppa. The metals were fused and cast on the plain of Zeretha, after which the whole was conveyed to Jerusalem, and there set up by means of mauls and other implements prepared for that purpose. To give you an idea of the size of these stones, let me give you Dr. Thomson's words concerning some which he saw in the ruins of Baalbec in Syria. He says : " The corresponding surfaces of these stones are squared so truly and polished so smoothly, that the fit is most exact. I was at first entirely deceived, and measured two as one, making it 120 feet long. The joint had to be searched for, and when found, I could not thrust the blade of my knife between the stones."

Spiritualizing the account of the building of Solomon's Temple, we can apply it to the christian in the world. God fashions a temple above, of which we are represented as stones built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief corner stone, of whom it is said, " Behold, I lay in Zion a chief corner stone, elect, precious," and again " The stone which the builders rejected, the same has become the head of the corner." Man as a stone to be fitted for the wall of the temple of the Most High, is well represented by the rough ashlar, which is a

stone, rough and unhewn, as taken from the quarry. Does not this rough stone well represent the mind of man in a primitive state, rough and unpolished, until by the care of his parents and the grace of God his mind becomes cultivated, and he is thereby rendered a fit member of the society of good men. The perfect ashlar is a stone of a true die, square, and fit only to be tried by the square and compasses. Surely this well represents the mind of a man at the close of a life of trust on the Son of God, a life spent in acts of piety and virtue, which he is not afraid to try by the square of God's Word and the compasses of his own conscience. But before the rough can be changed to the perfect ashlar, much labor must be expended upon it to bring it to a state of perfection. It must be cleansed from the soil which surrounds it; the rough jagged edges must be worn off; various excrescences upon it must be removed, and it must be polished until it has lost all traces of its former roughness. And what are the instruments by which the rough is changed into the perfect ashlar? The careful workman has his tools with which he makes the necessary alterations in the form of the stone, that it may be fitted for its place in the wall. These instruments include, among others, the square, the mallet or gavel, and the chisel. And the Great Architect of the Universe has his instruments by means of which he effects the necessary changes in the living stone that it may become fitted for its place in the temple of God above. The stone must be squared by

1. *His Word.* This is the only and sufficient rule of our practice. God has given it to us that by a careful study of its pages we may learn how far we yet come short of that perfection to which it is our privilege to attain, and may take the proper steps towards the accomplishment of it. He uses also the gavel of

2. *His Spirit.* Without it all other instruments would utterly fail. Even the Word itself unless accompanied by the Spirit will be of little or no service, we must have some supernatural influence brought to bear upon us, or we shall not become highly polished stones, fit for the temple of our God. I pray God that on this assembly the Spirit may so effectually perform His work that all

roughness may disappear and we be smoothed and fitted for the place which it is our duty to fill. But the Great Architect of the Universe uses also the chisel of

3. *His providential dispensations.* Closely and carefully does he cut, taking off a little here and a little there, till the stone once unshapely and unsightly shall become fully prepared for its position. Here he strikes a light blow and there a heavy one, but so infinitely correct is his judgment that in the midst of the suffering which the blows bring to us, we are compelled to admit that "He hath done all things well." The pressure brought to bear upon us is sometimes very heavy, in fact so heavy that it is made a test of the quality of the stone. If the stone be good it will bear the pressure, and the blows, but if spurious the strokes will reveal the fact. Are we such living stones, bearing patiently the affliction sent upon us! If so we can rejoice with Paul that "Our light affliction, which is but for a moment, worketh for us a far more exceeding and eternal weight of glory." I notice also that the stones were made ready before they were brought to the temple, so that there was no sound of axe, hammer nor any other tool of iron within the temple precincts, and just so it is with the christian. His training is all done here. Here, at a distance from the temple above, the rough edges are smoothed by the cares and afflictions of this life. Here all the preparations for our place in the wall of the heavenly Zion are made. Let me urge upon all the necessity of seeing to it that you are prepared for the wall of the Temple of the King of Kings.

In conclusion I would give expression to the wish of the members of Grand and Subordinate Lodges here represented, that the work to-day begun under such favorable circumstances may be brought to a successful completion, and that the Divine Shekinah may enter at its dedication, and remain until all the house shall be filled with the glory of the Lord, and may we one and all perform carefully our allotted tasks while it is yet day, and so conduct ourselves that when the hour of death shall come, the Lord of Life

will enable us to trample the king of terrors beneath our feet and lift our eyes to the bright Morning Star, whose rising brings peace and salvation to the faithful and obedient of the human race. May we act according to the laws of the Divine Creator, that when we shall be summoned from this sublunary abode we may ascend to the temple above, where the G. A. of the U. lives and reigns for ever."

The procession was then re-formed, and the brethren returned to the Lodge Room, and the Grand Lodge was closed in FORM, after prayer, at half-past five o'clock, afternoon.

ATTEST.



J. J. Maron

Grand Secretary.

Grand Lodge of Canada.

PROCEEDINGS

At an Especial Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of Canada, held at the Village of Carleton Place, in the County of Lanark, on Thursday, the 30th day of June, A.D. 1881, A.L. 5881.

PRESENT :

M. W. Bro. J. A. Henderson, Q.C., D.C.L., Grand Master,
On the Throne.

K.	W.	Bro. Samuel Rogers,	as Deputy Grand Master.
"	"	" Allan McLean,	as Grand Senior Warden.
"	"	" John Walsh,	as " Junior Warden.
"	"	" Rev. Thomas Tighe,	as " Chaplain.
"	"	" W. H. Baldwin,	as " Treasurer.
"	"	" John Moore,	as " Secretary.
"	"	" F. W. H. Leggatt,	as " Registrar.
V.	"	" Joseph F. Kennedy,	as " Senior Deacon.
"	"	" David McNab,	as " Junior Deacon.
"	"	" John Sumner,	as " Supt. of Works.
"	"	" Richard F. Preston,	as " Dir. of Ceremonies.
"	"	" John M. Munro,	as " Sword Bearer.
"	"	" W. G. Workman,	as " Organist.
"	"	" W. J. Pink,	as " Pursuivant.

W. Bro. James Pool,	}	as Grand Stewards.
" " George Finlay,		
" " Robert Burns,		
" " Wm. L. Walker,		
" " E. Mayhew.		
" " John McArton,	}	as Grand Tyler.
" William Moffatt,		

And three Worshipful Masters appointed to carry corn, wine and oil ; together with a very large concourse of Masters, Past Masters, and Brethren hailing from Ancient St. John's No. 3, Kingston ; True Britons, No. 14, Perth ; St. Francis, No. 24, Smith's Falls ; Doric, No. 58, Ottawa ; St. John's, No. 63, Carleton Place ; St. James No. 74, Maitland ; Renfrew, No. 122, Renfrew ; Mississippi, No. 147, Almonte ; Civil Service, No. 148, Ottawa ; Simpson, No. 157, Newboro' ; Goodwood, No. 159, Richmond ; Builders, No. 177, Ottawa ; Madawaska, No. 196, Arnprior ; Evergreen, No. 209, Lanark ; Lodge of Fidelity, No. 231, Ottawa ; Eureka, No. 248, Pakenham ; Minden, No. 253, Kingston ; Clandeboye, No. 355, Perth ; Prince of Wales, No. 371, Ottawa ; and St. Paul's, No. 374, Montreal.

The Grand Lodge was opened in AMPLE FORM at 12.30 p.m., by M. W. Bro. Jas. A. Henderson, Q. C., in the lodge room of John's Lodge, No. 63, G. R. C., who stated he had convened this special communication of Grand Lodge for the purpose of laying the cornerstone of St. James Church, (Church of England) about to be erected in the village of Carleton Place.

A procession was then formed in accordance with the regulations as laid down in the book of Constitution, and headed by the Carleton Place Brass Band, proceeded to the site of the church, when a halt was made and the ranks opened out and faced inwards, when the Grand Master, supported by the Grand Officers, passed to the north-east corner of the building, where a platform had been erected for the Grand Officers.

The opening ceremony commenced by the Acting Grand Chaplain offering up the following prayer :—

Grand Architect of the Universe, Maker and Ruler of all worlds, deign from Thy Celestial Temple, from realms of light and glory, to help us in all the purposes of our present assembly. We humbly invoke Thee to give us at this and at all times, wisdom in all our doings, strength of mind in all our difficulties, and the beauty of harmony in all our communications. Permit us, O Thou Author of life and light, great source of love and happiness, to erect this church set apart for thy glory and honor, so that perishing souls may be won from the evils of this world. Response: So mote it be.

The acting Grand Secretary then read the following scroll :

This Corner Stone

was laid by

James A. Henderson, Q. C., D. C. L., the Most Worshipful Grand Master
of the Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of Canada, upon the
30th day of June, A. D., 1881, in the forty-fifth year
of the reign of Her Most Gracious Majesty,

Victoria,

Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and the De-
pendencies in Europe, Africa, the Dominion of Canada, Austral-
asia, etc., etc., and Empress of India.

His Excellency the Right Honorable Sir John Douglas Sutherland Camp-
bell, Marquis of Lorne, K. T. G., C. M. G., Governor-General of
the Dominion of Canada, and Vice-Admiral of the same.

The Hon. John Beverly Robinson, being Lieutenant-Governor of the
Province of Ontario.

The Right Rev. John Travers Lewis, D. D., D. C. L., Bishop of the Diocese
of Ontario.

The Ven. Thomas Bedford Jones, D. C. C., Archdeacon of Kingston.

The Ven. John Struth Lauder, D. C. L., Archdeacon of Ottawa.

The Rev. George William Geddes Grout, M. A., Rural Dean of the Counties
of Lanark and Renfrew, incumbent.

Lachlin McCallum and Richard Franklin Preston, M. D., Churchwardens.

John McArton, Sen., and William Kelly, delegates to the Synod.

Col. John Sumner, Chairman of Building Committee.

BUILDING COMMITTEE.—Messrs. Joseph Howson, sen., James Leach, George
Dunsmert, and John William Hendry.

Ebner Nichols, Treasurer of Building Committee.

ARCHITECT.—Henry Cane, C. E.

CONTRACTORS.—William Moffatt and William Pattie.

MASONS.—Messrs. R. Scott and Jas. Brunton.

“GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.”

The scroll and copies of the various newspapers and current coin of the Dominion were then deposited in the cavity of the stone.

The Rev. George William Geddes Grout, M.A., incumbent, then addressed the Grand Master, and said :—

Most Worshipful Sir.—On behalf of the Congregation of St. James' Church, Carleton Place, I present you with this trowel as a slight testimonial of our esteem for you personally, and as an appreciation of the craft whom you preside over, and in commemoration of the important work to which you have kindly lent your aid to-day.

The trowel, of very neat and tasteful design and suitably engraved, was then presented to the Grand Master, who, on receiving it, said :—

“He received the gift and would retain it as a pleasing memento of the work so happily begun.”

The necessary mortar being laid the Grand Master spread it with the trowel and said :—

I spread this cement as an emblem of that cement of peace and good-will which, I trust, will ever prevail in the sacred edifice to be erected, and may its heaven-pointed spire remind the congregation, under God's blessing, of those mansions of bliss, whence all goodness emanates.

The upper stone being properly placed, after having been lowered by the regular halts, the Grand Master then instructed the

Acting Grand Junior Warden to apply the Plumb, the Acting Grand Senior Warden the Level, and the Acting Deputy Grand Master the Square.

Grand Master.—“ Brother Grand Junior Warden, what is the proper Jewel of your office ? ”

Grand Junior Warden.—“ The Plumb Rule, Most Worshipful Sir.”

Grand Master.—“ Have you applied the Plumb to the edges of the stone ? ”

Grand Junior Warden.—“ I have, Most Worshipful Sir, and the craftsmen have done their duty.”

The same questions as to the Level and Square, with a like response, were put to and given by the Acting Grand Senior Warden and the Acting Deputy Grand Master. The Grand Master said : “ Brethren, having full confidence in your skill in our Royal Art it remains with me now to finish the work.” He then gave the stone three knocks with the Gavel, and said : “ Well made, well proved, truly laid, true and trusty, and may this undertaking be conducted and completed by the Craftsmen, according to the Grand Plan, in Peace, Harmony and Brotherly Love.”

Response : “ So mote it be.”

Corn, Wine and Oil were then handed him, and as he poured out the customary libations, said : “ I strew Corn upon the stone as an emblem of plenty ; I pour Wine on it as an emblem of cheerfulness ; and I anoint it with Oil as an emblem of comfort and consolation. May Corn, Wine and Oil, and all the necessities of life, abound among men, and may the blessing of the Supreme Architect of the Universe be upon this edifice and all connected with it.”

Response : “ So mote it be.”

The plans having been handed to the Grand Master, he presented them to the Architect, saying : "The foundation of this building being now laid, I present to you the implements applied to it, also the plans, in full confidence that, as a skilful and faithful workman, you will use them in such a manner that the building may rise in order and harmony, being perfected in beauty and strength."

He also addressed the revered incumbent as follows :—"Having completed our work according to ancient usage, I now wish that every success may attend your and the congregations zealous endeavors to erect a church which will be a credit to your parish ; that, as the work has been happily begun, it will, with God's blessing, be carried to a happy ending ; and may your parishioners be ever reminded of their duty to God and man."

The grand honors having been given according to ancient custom, the Acting Grand Superintendent of Works proceeded to make a collection for the workmen, while the Acting Grand Organist, Bro. Prof. Workman, assisted by the choir, rendered "The Church's One Foundation" very effectively, and at its conclusion the Grand Master re-ascended the platform and spoke as follows :—

MEN AND BRETHREN HERE ASSEMBLED :

It is an ancient Masonic custom, on closing the ceremony of laying the cornerstone, for the Brother in whose hand the gavel of authority for the time being may be placed, to offer a few remarks pertinent to the occurrence. It is my duty as Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of Canada, to perform that grateful task. We are here clothed in the working apparel of the ancient and honorable fraternity of Free and Accepted Masons, to lay with the honors peculiar to the craft the cornerstone of an Anglican Church for the worship of the Most High. The large number of Freemasons met together, the goodly array of clergymen, and the very great concourse of people surrounding this platform show not only the great interest taken in

this day's proceedings, but also the desire to encourage those who have so zealously set their hands to forward this laudable work, the building of St. James' Church. For ages past Freemasonry has been a zealous worker in rearing for the Church those truly wonderful Cathedrals and edifices which adorn not only the continent of Europe but our Mother land. Wherever you see that beautiful order of architecture, the Gothic, remember that it is a gift of Freemasonry to the Church. From the time when our Grand Master, Solomon, erected that splendid temple on Mount Moriah, to the present day have Freemasons taken part in the glorious work of building those wondrous and majestic structures within which man breathes his prayers of peace and gladness. It is to our predecessors in the craft that mankind is indebted for those stupendous monuments of human skill, the Pyramids of Egypt, which, though many thousands of years have passed away, still exist; the colossal ruins of Memphis and Thebe; of Baalbec and Palmyra, testify to the amazing skill of the ancient builders. There exists in the minds of those who are unconnected with our order, erroneous ideas that Freemasonry is incompatible with religion. I fearlessly and openly assert that the connection between the two is absolute and cannot be severed or destroyed. Our order contributes to promote the social happiness of man in this world by the practice of every virtue. Religion promotes happiness in a future state. Hence masonry must be considered the handmaid of religion, because the practice of virtue, though it cannot absolutely save, is an essential condition of salvation. To be a good and perfect Mason, not only a thorough knowledge of the volume of the Sacred Law is essential, but there must be an acting up to and a carrying out of the precepts contained in that Holy Book. It is first recommended to the serious contemplation of every Mason, and he is charged to consider it as the unerring standard of truth and justice, and to regulate his actions by the divine precepts it contains. Though our order is universally accessible to all mankind without subjecting them to hear the discussion of tenets which are revolting to their feelings or alien to any preconceived notions which they might entertain respecting systems of religious worship, yet many among us see a christian

application of Freemasonry. No other religion that ever existed taught the sublime doctrine and practiced those amiable precepts which command us not to hide ourselves from our own flesh nor to shut up our bowels of mercy, but to show not only justice, equality and integrity, but mercy and compassion, every man to his brother. The forms and symbols in our lodges, co-eval with the earlier ages, have to many of us, like the Holy Bible, a christian reference. As a christian mason, and with no desire to obtrude these views on others, I cannot omit alluding to that beautiful exhortation which impresses itself on the mind of every widow's son, "That within us there resides a vital and immortal principle which inspires a holy confidence that the Lord of Life will enable us to trample the king of terrors beneath our feet, and lift up our eyes to that bright morning star whose rising brings peace and salvation to the faithful and obedient of the human race." Every Mason who is a follower of the meek and lowly Jesus, sees beyond the universal and acknowledged meaning, a reference to the risen Saviour of mankind, though others of our brethren consider its application as pointing to a Princely Messiah yet to come. Our brethren, whether Jew, Mahomadan, or Hindoo, may and do take different roads to travel to those realms of bliss, where the world's Great Architect presides and rules for ever. I now conclude by invoking the blessing of the Almighty upon the members of this church, that each may be a lively stone in the spiritual temple; and upon our ancient craft, that the blessing of heaven may rest on all Free and Accepted Masons over the world, and enable them to carry out the great aim of the order, "Peace and good will to all mankind."

At the conclusion of the address, the Grand Master called upon the Brethren, and others present, to give three cheers for "our Sovereign, the Queen," which was responded to with a hearty good will.

The procession then re-formed in the same order as before, and marched back to the Lodge Room, where Grand Lodge was closed in AMPLE FORM. Subsequently, and at the invitation of the ladies

of the congregation, the Brethren marched in procession, headed by the band, to the Drill Hall, where a splendid luncheon was in readiness, and it is needless to say that ample justice was done to the good things provided by the ladies, who exerted themselves and were equal to the task of serving all with refreshments so that profit and pleasure was the result.

ATTEST.



H. J. Watson

Grand Secretary.

Grand Lodge of Canada.

PROCEEDINGS

At an Especial Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of Canada, held at Dundela, Township of Matilda, in the County of Dundas, on Friday, the First day of July, A.D. 1881, A.L. 5881.

PRESENT :

R. W. Bro. James Stephenson, M. D., Past D. D. G. M., Acting Grand Master.

W. Bro. Arthur Brown,	as Deputy Grand Master.
" " George P. Sills,	as Grand Senior Warden.
" " James L. Holmes,	as " Junior Warden.
" " Carloe DeCastle,	as " Chaplain.
" " John Murray,	as " Treasurer.
" " E. L. White,	as " Registrar.
" " John N. Tuttle,	as " Secretary.
" John Fetterly,	as " Senior Deacon.
" Thos. A. Thompson,	as " Junior Deacon.
" Josiah Baldwin,	as " Dir. of Ceremonies.
" Henry Moore,	as " Sword Bearer.
" Ruben Dillabough,	as " Tyler.
" Jas. A. Stewart,	} as " Stewards.
" Thomas Dillon,	
" Asa Beach,	

Together with the Masters, Past Masters and Brethren hailing from the following Lodges :—Excelsior Lodge, No. 142, Morrisburgh ; Henderson Lodge, No. 383, West Winchester ; Chester-ville Lodge, No. 320, Chesterville, and others.

The Grand Lodge was opened in FORM at half-past eleven o'clock, forenoon, by R. W. Bro. James Stephenson, M. D., Past D. D. G. M., who stated that he had been deputed by Most Worshipful, the Grand Master, at the request of the Master and Brethren of Friendly Brothers Lodge, No. 143, Iroquis, to perform the ceremony of laying the Corner Stone of the Canada Methodist Church, about to be erected at Dundela.

A procession was formed in accordance with the regulations, as laid down in the Constitution of Grand Lodge, and proceeded to the site of the church, when a halt was made, and the ranks opened out and faced inward, when the Acting Grand Master, R. W. Bro. James Stephenson, M. D., supported by the Grand Officers, passed to the corner of the building, where a platform had been erected for the Grand Officers and the brethren.

The opening ceremony commenced with singing an appropriate hymn, after which Bro. Carloe DeCastle, the acting Grand Chaplain, offered up a suitable prayer, on the conclusion of which R. W. Bro. James Stephenson, M. D., Acting Grand Master, delivered an address, explaining the presence of the Order, and the ancient nature of the ceremony.

The Acting Grand Secretary then read the following scroll :—

This Corner Stone

Was laid by R. W. Bro. James Stephenson, M. D., Past D. D. G. M., acting for the Most Worshipful, the Grand Master of the Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of Canada, upon the First day of July, A. D. 1881, A. L. 5881, and in the forty-fifth year of the reign of our Gracious Sovereign,

Victoria,

Queen of Great Britain and Ireland, the Dominion of Canada, Australasia, &c., and Empress of India.

His Excellency the Right Honorable John Douglas Sutherland Campbell, Marquis of Lorne, being Governor-General of the Dominion of Canada.

Right Honorable Sir John A. Macdonald, K. C. B., &c., being Premier of the Dominion of Canada.

The Honorable John Beverly Robinson, being Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Ontario.

The Honorable Oliver Mowat, being Attorney-General and Premier of the Province of Ontario.

John S. Ross, M. P., for the House of Commons, of the Dominion of Canada.

Andrew Broder, M.P.P., for the Local Legislature of the Province of Ontario.

Township Council.—Adam Harkness, Reeve; Richard Hains, 1st Deputy Reeve; Thomas Brinston, 2nd Deputy Reeve; Robert Borick and Richard Anderson, Councillors.

President of the General Conference, Rev. George Douglass, LL.D.

President of the Montreal Conference, Rev. H. F. Bland.

Secretary of the Conference, Rev. J. T. Pitcher.

Chairman of the Brockville District, Rev. Thomas G. Williams.

Pastor, Rev. A. A. Smith.

Assistant Pastor, Rev. D. B. McDowell.

TRUSTEES.—James Hamilton, Alfred Macelons, John W. Cooper, David Hamilton, John Casselman, George Dillabough, James Barckley, and Henry Moore.

BUILDING COMMITTEE.—James Hamilton, Chairman; John W. Cooper, Secretary; Alfred Macelons, Treasurer; David Hamilton, George Dillabough, John Casselman, and James Barckley.

ARCHITECT.—W. S. Wickwire.

CONTRACTORS.—Charles Robson, A. Buchan and George Alquire.

Which, with a copy of the *Christian Guardian*, *Toronto Globe*, *Toronto Mail*, *Montreal Witness*, *Montreal Star*, *Morrisburgh Courier*, *Iroquois Times*, and *Dundas Co. Herald*, and some current coins of the Dominion, and other matters, enclosed in a tin box, were deposited in the cavity of the stone.

The Acting Grand Master having spread the mortar the stone was placed in its proper position. The Deputy Grand Master and Wardens tested the stone with the Square, Level and Plumb, and the Acting Grand Master pronounced it well made and truly laid. Corn, wine and oil were poured upon it with symbolic explanation,

and the Acting Grand Master entrusted to the Architect and builders the tools with which to complete the building.

The procession then re-formed and marched to the extemporized lodge room, when the Grand Lodge was closed in FORM, after which the brethren were hospitably entertained by the members of the congregation.

ATTEST.



J. J. Maron
Grand Secretary.

Grand Lodge of Canada.

PROCEEDINGS

At the Twenty-sixth Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of Canada, held in the Grand Opera House, in the City of Hamilton, commencing on Wednesday, the 13th day of July, A. D., 1881, A. L. 5881.

PRESENT :

M. W. Bro. James A. Henderson, Q.C., D.C.L., Grand Master
On the Throne.

R. W. Bro. James Moffat,	Deputy Grand Master.
“ “ “ R. J. Hovenden,	Grand Senior Warden.
“ “ “ John Walsh,	as “ Junior Warden.
“ “ “ Rev. Wm. Hay,	“ Chaplain.
“ “ “ Edward Mitchell,	“ Treasurer.
“ “ “ R. L. Gunn,	“ Registrar.
“ “ “ J. J. Mason,	“ Secretary.
V. “ “ J. E. Beeton,	“ Senior Deacon.
“ “ M. D. Dawson,	“ Junior Deacon.
R. “ “ L. H. Henderson,	as “ Supt. of Works.
V. “ “ W. C. Wilkinson,	“ Dir. of Ceremonies.
V. “ “ Chas. Lemon,	Asst. Grand Secretary.
R. “ “ Allan McLean,	as “ “ Dir. of Cer.
“ “ “ Henry Robertson,	as Grand Sword Bearer.
V. “ “ W. E. Roxburgh,	“ Organist
“ “ “ B. Rothwell,	Asst. Grand Organist.
“ “ “ Wm. Forbes,	as Grand Pursuivant.

V. W. Bro. W. L. Tackaberry,		
" " S. S. Clutton,		
" " Lewis Beam,		
" " S. S. McCormack,		
" " W. H. Bell,		
" " J. Ross Robertson,	}	Grand Stewards.
" " Isaac Huber,		
" " A. H. Melville,		
" " J. R. Dargavel,		
" " W. L. P. Eager,		
" " David Glass,	as	
" " W. W. Summers,	as	Grand Tyler.

DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTERS.

R. W. Bro. T. C. Macnabb,	St. Clair District.
" " Robert MacKay,	London "
" " George C. Eden,	Wilson "
" " DeWitt H. Martyn,	Huron "
" " Alex. Irvine,	Wellington "
" " J. M. Meakins,	Hamilton "
" " George Walker,	Niagara "
" " B. Saunders,	Toronto "
" " John Nettleton,	Georgian "
" " G. H. F. Dartnell,	Ontario "
" " R. T. Walkem, Q.C.,	St. Lawrence "

GRAND REPRESENTATIVES.

M. W. Bro. J. A. Henderson, Q.C., Representative of the Grand
Lodges of New Hampshire and New York.

M. W. Bro. A. A. Stevenson, Representative of the Grand Lodge
of Connecticut and the Grand Orient of Brazil.

M. W. Bro. James Seymour, Representative of the Grand Lodge
of Mississippi.

R. W. Bro. James Moffat, Representative of the Grand Lodge of
Idaho.

R. W. Bro. E. Mitchell, Representative of the Grand Lodge of California.

R. W. Bro. Hugh A. MacKay, Representative of the Grand Lodges of Scotland and Michigan.

R. W. Bro. J. B. Traves, Representative of the Grand Lodge of Delaware.

R. W. Bro. Henry Robertson, Representative of the Grand Lodge of the District of Columbia.

R. W. Bro. David McLellan, Representative of the Grand Lodges of Georgia and Illinois.

R. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, Representative of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky.

R. W. Bro. John W. Murton, Representative of the Grand Lodge of Maine.

R. W. Bro. Henry Macpherson, Representative of the Grand Lodge of Maryland and the Grand Orient of Uruguay.

R. W. Bro. L. H. Henderson, Representative of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina.

R. W. Bro. T. C. Macnabb, Representative of the Grand Lodge of South Carolina.

R. W. Bro. Otto Klotz, Representative of the Grand Lodge of Washington Territory and the Grand Orient of St. Domingo.

R. W. Bro. J. E. Harding, Representative of the Grand Lodge of West Virginia.

R. W. Bro. P. J. Brown, Representative of the Grand Lodge of New Mexico.

R. W. Bro. George H. F. Dartnell, Representative of the Grand Lodge of Colon and the Island of Cuba.

R. W. Bro. J. J. Mason, Representative of the Grand Lodges of Florida, Iowa and Kansas.

V. W. Bro. F. R. Despard, Representative of the Grand Lodge of
British Columbia.

PAST GRAND OFFICERS.

M. W. Bro.	A. A. Stevenson,	P. G. M.
" "	James Seymour,	"
R. W.	E. Allworth,	P. D. D. G. M.
" "	J. H. Benson,	"
" "	Richard Bull,	"
" "	P. J. Brown,	"
" "	Richard Brierley,	"
" "	John Cascaden,	"
" "	J. G. Cooper,	"
" "	John W. Coy,	"
" "	L. H. Henderson,	"
" "	J. E. Harding,	"
" "	W. D. Hepburn,	"
" "	R. Hendry, jun.,	"
" "	R. B. Hungerford,	"
" "	Otto Klotz,	"
" "	John Macdonald,	"
" "	W. D. McGlochlou,	"
" "	John McLaren,	"
" "	Hugh Murray,	"
" "	Henry Robertson,	"
" "	James Reynolds,	"
" "	Donald Ross,	"
" "	Thomas Sargent,	"
" "	Daniel Spry,	"
" "	James Smith,	"
" "	I. F. Toms,	"
" "	J. B. Traves,	"
" "	I. P. Willson,	"
" "	Henry Macpherson,	P. G. S. W.
" "	Allan McLean,	"
" "	David McLellan,	"

R. W.	"	John W. Murton,	P. G. S. W.
"	"	Gavin Stewart,	P. G. J. W.
"	"	T. H. Tracy,	"
"	"	John Walsh,	"
"	"	Rev. C. W. Paterson,	P. G. Chaplain.
"	"	H. A. Mackay,	P. G. Registrar.
"	"	Isaac Waterman,	"
"	"	J. G. Burns,	"
"	"	C. H. Slawson,	"
"	"	John Osborne,	P. G. Secretary.
V. W.	"	James Wilson,	P. G. S. D.
"	"	J. B. Nixon,	P. G. J. D.
"	"	John Barbour,	"
"	"	Walter Chatfield,	P. G. Supt. of Works
"	"	Wm. Reid,	"
"	"	R. A. Hutchison,	P. Asst. Grand Secre
"	"	C. R. Smith,	"
"	"	Donald McPhie,	"
"	"	Wm. Forbes,	P. G. Sword Bearer.
"	"	R. Lewis,	"
"	"	Henry Carlisle,	P. G. Organist.
"	"	G. R. Vanzant,	P. G. Pursuivant.
"	"	E. E. Kitchen,	"
"	"	R. Rochester,	P. G. Steward.
"	"	Chas. Doeblor,	"
"	"	Wm. Carey,	"
"	"	Wm. Hayden,	"
"	"	J. S. Loomis,	"
"	"	Wm. Milner,	"
"	"	J. B. Holden,	"
"	"	W. L. P. Eager,	"
"	"	John Fisher,	"
"	"	Geo. Risk,	"
"	"	W. C. Morrison,	"
"	"	Robert Patterson,	"
"	"	W. C. Dobie,	"
"	"	J. R. Powell,	"

V. W.	"	Robert King,	P. G. Steward.
"	"	Hugh Hyndman,	"
"	"	J. M. Dunn,	"

PAST MASTERS.

R. W. Bro.	E. Allworth.	V. W. Bro.	John Barbour.
" "	Richard Bull.	" "	J. E. Beeton.
" "	Richard Brierley.	" "	Lewis Beam.
" "	J. H. Benson.	" "	W. H. Bell.
" "	J. G. Burns.	W.	H. Bickford.
W.	C. E. S. Black.	" "	Henry Bolton.
" "	J. J. Brasford.	" "	W. H. Baldwin.
" "	H. A. Baxter.	" "	Thomas Brock.
" "	Ulysses Boddy.	" "	H. S. Broughton.
" "	R. A. Barton.	" "	W. D. Bright.
" "	W. H. Ballard.	" "	James A. Bell.
" "	D. L. Beemer.	" "	R. C. Bruce.
R.	John W. Coy.	" "	R. Chambers.
" "	John Cascaden.	" "	H. Couzens.
" "	J. G. Cooper.	" "	Jos. Craig.
V.	W. Chatfield.	" "	D. Clarke.
" "	Henry Carlisle.	" "	D. M. Card.
" "	S. S. Clutton.	" "	W. Cowan.
W.	R. M. Cooper.	" "	Thomas Clark.
" "	John Creasor.	" "	J. E. Cohoe.
" "	J. J. Campbell.	" "	Robert Cornish.
R.	G. H. F. Dartnell.	" "	George T. Daly.
V.	M. D. Dawson.	" "	J. S. Donaldson.
" "	C. Doeblor.	" "	S. R. Dales.
" "	J. R. Dargavel.	" "	R. H. Dyer.
" "	W. C. Dobie.	V.	J. M. Dunn.
R.	G. C. Eden.	" "	W. L. P. Eager.
W.	A. Ellis, jr.	" "	Wm. Forbes.
" "	John Ferguson.	" "	John Fisher.
" "	David Ferguson.	W.	Benjamin Freer.
" "	S. A. Findlay.	" "	J. Fitzallen.

R. W. Bro.	R. L. Gunn.	W. Bro.	Wm. Gibson.
W.	“ David Glass, Q.C.	“	“ F. Gallow.
“	“ J. F. H. Gunn.	“	“ John Green.
“	“ G. Gilmour.	“	“ H. C. Gwyn.
M.	“ J. A. Henderson, Q.C.	V.	“ R. A. Hutchison.
R.	“ R. B. Hungerford.	“	“ Wm. Hayden.
“	“ J. E. Harding.	“	“ J. B. Holden.
“	“ R. J. Hovenden.	“	“ H. Hyndman.
“	“ R. Hendry, jr.	“	“ Isaac Huber.
“	“ Rev. Wm. Hay.	W.	“ Geo. Hodgetts.
“	“ L. H. Henderson.	“	“ E. H. D. Hall.
“	“ W. D. Hepburn.	“	“ James Hamilton.
W.	“ H. C. Hilliker.	“	“ John Hull.
“	“ W. A. Hamilton.	“	“ D. H. Hunter.
“	“ A. Hobbs.	R.	“ Alex Irvine.
“	“ Alfred Hurrell.	W.	“ J. H. Jelley.
“	“ W. H. Jackson.	“	“ W. R. Jamieson.
“	“ Robert Jordan.	“	“ J. T. Jones.
“	“ A. B. Jardine.	R.	“ Otto Klotz.
“	“ L. G. Jarvis.	W.	“ John Knox.
V.	“ E. E. Kitchen.	“	“ Chas King.
“	“ Robert King.	“	“ J. C. Kearns.
W.	“ John W. Kerr.	“	“ Wm. Kerns.
“	“ J. H. Kenning.	“	“ E. Kenrick.
“	“ D. Kennedy.	“	“ Wm. Kennedy.
“	“ G. E. Klotz.	“	“ W. S. Lee.
V.	“ J. S. Loomis.	“	“ E. H. Long.
“	“ R. Lewis.	“	“ R. W. Longmore.
“	“ Chas. Lemon.	“	“ N. J. Lindsay.
W.	“ James Lockie.	“	“ J. Z. Long.
“	“ H. Leighton.	“	“ G. J. Miller.
“	“ J. K. Leslie.	“	“ John Minish.
R.	“ T. C. Macnabb.	“	“ A. G. Muir.
“	“ H. A. MacKay.	“	“ F. N. Mitchell.
“	“ J. W. Murton.	“	“ John Malloy.
“	“ J. M. Meakins.	“	“ John Moore.
“	“ J. J. Mason.	“	“ R. W. Macfarlane.

R. W. Bro. Robert MacKay.	W. Bro. Wm. Matheson.
" " " Hugh Murray.	" " John Matheson.
" " " D. H. Martyn.	" " G. W. Murton.
" " " Henry Macpherson.	" " A. B. Munson.
" " " John Macdonald.	" " A. Makeague.
7. " " Wm. Milner.	V. " " W. C. Morrison.
" " " A. H. Melville.	" " " Donald McPhie.
R. " " David McLellan.	" " " S. S. McCormack.
" " " John McLaren.	W. " S. W. McMichael.
" " " Allan McLean.	" " D. McMillan.
" " " W. D. McGloghlon.	" " N. J. McIntyre.
W. " C. J. McKenzie.	" " J. A. McGregor.
" " Arch. McKenzie.	" " James Noble.
R. " " John Nettleton.	R. " " John Osborne.
V. " " J. B. Nixon.	" " " Rev. C. W. Patterson
W. " John Overell.	W. " W. C. Patton.
V. " " Robert Patterson.	" " John Patton.
V. " " T. R. Powell.	" " James Patterson.
W. " Charles Pye.	" " T. S. Patterson.
" " R. J. Pujolas.	V. " " Robert Rochester.
R. " " Donald Ross.	" " " J. Ross Robertson.
" " " Henry Robertson.	" " " William Reid.
" " " James Reynolds.	" " " Geo. Risk.
W. " George Russell.	" " " B. Rothwell.
" " John G. Robinson.	W. " J. A. Richardson.
" " W. G. Reid.	" " W. S. Robinson.
" " R. Radcliffe.	M. " " A. A. Stevenson.
M. " " James Seymour.	V. " " C. R. Smith.
R. " " Gavin Stewart.	W. " W. T. Sawle.
" " " Daniel Spry.	" " John Satchell.
" " " B. Saunders.	" " Geo. Slingerland.
" " " James Smith.	" " John Scoon.
" " " Thomas Sargent.	" " Rev. T. B. Stratton.
W. " A. G. Smyth.	" " N. Shafley.
" " James Smyth.	" " D. A. Sinclair.
" " E. T. Shaw.	" " John Simpson.
" " John B. Smyth.	R. " J. B. Trays.

	W. Bro. W. H. Street.	R. W. Bro. Isaac F. Toms.
V. "	" W. L. Tackaberry.	" " " T. H. Tracy.
	W. " George Tait.	W. " John T'cole.
	" " T. A. Thompson.	" " J. W. Upper.
	" " John Urquhart.	" " Harry Vincent.
V. "	" G. R. Vanzant.	V. " " W. C. Wilkinson.
R. "	" R. T. Walkem.	" " " Jas. Wilson.
" "	" I. P. Willson.	W. " Thos. Wavell.
" "	" Isaac Waterman.	" " W. A. Woolson.
" "	" George Walker.	" " W. Watt, jr.
" "	" John Walsh.	" " M. Williams.
W. "	" J. R. Warnock.	" " John Wills.
" "	" J. H. Widdifield.	" " J. W. Wallace.
" "	" G. E. R. Wilson.	" " W. Wright.
" "	" W. W. Winfield.	" " Wm. Wilson.
" "	" H. M. C. Wright.	" " Wm. Yonker.
" "	" Wm. Webb.	

A constitutional number of Lodges being represented, the Grand Lodge was opened in AMPLE FORM at 3.15 p.m., and the Grand Chaplain implored a blessing from the G. A. O. T. U. upon all the Proceedings.

The Board of General Purposes, as required by the Constitution, appointed R. W. Bros. R. Hendry, jr., R. B. Hungerford and V. W. Bro. C. R. Smith, a Committee on the Credentials of Representatives and Proxies from Lodges, who reported the following as being present, viz. :

No. 2. *Niagara Lodge, Niagara.*

W. Bro. John Knox, P. M., Proxy ; M. W. Bro Jas. Seymour, P. M. ; W. Bro. G. J. Miller, P. M.

No. 3. *The Ancient St. John's, Kingston.*

W. Bro. G. W. Gaden, W. M. ; Bro. H. J. Saunders, S. W. ; M. W. Bro. J. A. Henderson, P. M. ; R. W. Bro. R. T. Walkem, P. M.

No. 5. *Sussex Lodge, Brockville.*

W. Bros. John Minish, W. M. ; W. H. Jackson, P. M.

6. *Barton Lodge, Hamilton.*
W. Bro. H. Munsie, W. M. ; Bro. T. Clappson, S. W. ; G. E. Mason, J. W. ; R. W. Bro. T. O. McNabb, P. M. ; Gavin Stewart, P. M. ; H. A. Mackay, P. M. ; John W. Murton, P. M. ; Richard Bull, P. M. ; Richard Brierley, P. M. ; W. Bro. W. Gibson, P. M. ; George Russell, P. M.
7. *Union Lodge, Grimsby.*
W. Bro. A. H. Pettit, W. M. ; V. W. Bro. Wm. Forbes, P. M. ; W. Bro. A. G. Muir, P. M.
9. *Union Lodge, Napanee.*
R. W. Bro. Donald Ross, Proxy.
10. *Norfolk Lodge, Simcoe.*
V. W. Bro. Robert Rochester, W. M.,
11. *Moria Lodge, Belleville.*
W. Bro. Robert Dick, W. M.
14. *True Britons Lodge, Perth.*
W. J. Pink, W. M.
15. *St. George's Lodge, St. Catharines.*
W. Bro. C. G. McDermott, W. M. ; V. W. Bro. W. Chatfield, P. M. ; W. Bro. Wm. Dougan, P. M.
16. *St. Andrew's Lodge, Toronto.*
W. Bro. Wm. Anderson, W. M. ; V. W. Bro. W. C. Wilkinson, P. M. ; W. Bros. George Hodgetts, P. M. ; George Tait, P. M.
17. *St. John's Lodge, Cobourg.*
R. W. Bro. J. B. Trayes, Proxy.
18. *Prince Edward Lodge, Picton.*
W. Bro. G. N. Rose, W. M. ; R. W. Bro. Donald Ross, P. M.
20. *St. John's Lodge, London.*
W. Bro. F. H. Mitchell, P. M., Proxy ; V. W. Bro. M. D. Dawson, P. M.
22. *King Solomon's Lodge, Toronto.*
V. W. Bro. J. Ross Robertson, W. M. ; Bro. G. W. Warner, S. W. ; R. W. Bro. David McLellan, P. M. ; Daniel Spry, P. M. ; W. Bros. H. Bickford, P. M. ; W. H. Lee, P. M.
25. *Ionic Lodge, Toronto.*
W. Bro. C. W. Postlewaithe, W. M. ; Bro. Wm. Roaf, J. W. ; W. Bro. J. G. Robinson, W. M.

No. 26.

Ontario Lodge, Port Hope.

W. Bro. Jas. Evans, W. M. ; R. W. Bro. J. B. Trayes, P. M. ;
V. W. Bro. C. Doeblar, P. M.

No. 27.

Strict Observance Lodge, Hamilton.

W. Bro. C. H. Foster, W. M. ; Bro. B. J. Morgan, J. W. ; R.
W. Bro. J. M. Meakins, P. M. ; J. J. Mason, P. M. ; John
Osborne, P. M. ; R. L. Gunn, P. M. ; David McLellan, P.
M. ; V. W. Bros. R. A. Hutchison, P. M. ; Wm. Carey, P.
M. ; W. Bros. S. E. Townsend, P. M. ; Thomas Wavell, P. M.

No. 28.

Mount Sinai Lodge, Kemptville.

W. Bro. R. Chambers, W. M.

No. 30.

Composite Lodge, Whitby.

W. Bro. Chas. King, P. M., Proxy ; R. W. Bro. G. H. F. Dart-
nell, P. M.

No. 31.

Jerusalem Lodge, Bowmanville.

W. Bro. W. R. Piggott, W. M.

No. 32.

Amity Lodge, Dunnville.

W. Bro. W. N. Braund, W. M. ; Bro. J. W. McCallum, J.
W. ; W. Bro. E. H. Long, P. M. ; C. E. S. Black, P. M.

No. 33.

Goderich Lodge, Goderich.

W. Bro. H. Bolton, W. M.

No. 34.

Thistle Lodge, Amherstburg.

W. Bro. George Green, W. M.

No. 36

Welland Lodge, Fonthill.

R. W. Bro. I. P. Willson, P. M. ; W. Bro. J. F. Brasford,
P. M.

No. 37.

King Hiram Lodge, Ingersoll.

W. Bro. Robt. Vance, W. M. ; Bro. H. O'Connor, Jr, J. W. ;
W. Bro. W. A. Woolson, P. M.

No. 39.

Mount Zion Lodge, Brooklin.

W. Bro. J. J. Johnstone, W. M.

No. 40.

St John's Lodge, Hamilton.

W. Bro. J. B. Bishop, W. M. ; Bros. J. A. Malcom, S. W. ;
John Dickson, J. W. ; V. W. Bros. C. R. Smith, P. M. ;
Donald McPhie, P. M. ; W. Bros. John W. Kerr, P. M. ; Jno.
Malloy, P. M. ; W. G. Reid, P. M.

No. 41.

St. George's Lodge Kingsville.

R. W. Bro. E. Allworth, P. M., Proxy.

No. 42.

St. George's Lodge, London.

W. Bro. James Priddis, W. M. ; Bro. George Angus, S. W. ;

T. H. Brunton, J. W. ; R. W. Bro. Isaac Waterman, P. M. ;
W. Bro. A. Ellis, jr., P. M.

No. 43. *King Solomon's Lodge, Woodstock.*

W. Bro. John Morrison, W. M. ; Bro. D. C. Ross, J. W. ; R.
W. Bro. G. C. Eden, P. M. ; V. W. Bro. Wm. Hayden, P. M.

No. 44. *St. Thomas Lodge, St. Thomas.*

W. Bro. A. N. Pettit, W. M. ; R. W. Bro. R. Mackay, P. M.

No. 45. *Brant Lodge, Brantford.*

Bro. B. H. Rothwell, S. W. ; W. Bros. S. W. McMichael, P.
M. ; W. Watt, jr., P. M.

No. 46. *Wellington Lodge, Chatham.*

W. Bro. J. E. Peers, W. M.

No. 47. *Great Western Lodge, Windsor.*

W. Bro. Donald Grant, W. M.

No. 48. *Madoc Lodge, Madoc.*

V. W. Bro. J. S. Loomis, W. M.

No. 52. *Dalhousie Lodge, Ottawa.*

W. Bro. Cassius Campbell, W. M.

No. 54. *Vaughan Lodge, Maple.*

R. W. Bro. B. Saunders, Proxy.

No. 55. *Merrickville Lodge, Merrickville.*

W. Bro. A. McDonald, W. M.

No. 58. *Doric Lodge, Ottawa.*

W. Bro. W. H. Baldwin, W. M.

No. 61. *Acacia Lodge, Hamilton.*

W. Bro. H. Sweetman, W. M. ; R. W. Bros. Hugh Murray ;
E. Whitehall, P. M. ; V. W. Bro. Wm. Reid, P. M.

No. 62. *St Andrews Lodge, Caledonia.*

W. Bro. W. T. Sawle, P. M., Proxy ; V. W. Bro. J. B.
Holden, P. M.

No. 63. *St John's Lodge, Carleton Place.*

W. Bro. J. C. Kearns, Proxy.

No. 64. *Kilwinning Lodge, London.*

W. Bro. the Rev. Evans Davis, W. M. ; Bros. J. Hargreaves,
S. W. ; A. O. Jeffery, J. W. ; R. W. Bro. R. B. Hungerford,
P. M. ; V. W. Bros. R. Lewis, P. M. ; W. Carey, P. M. ; W.
Bros. David Glass, P. M. ; H. A. Baxter, P. M. ; Thomas
Brock, P. M. ; John Ferguson, P. M. ; John Overell, P. M.

No. 65.

Rehoboam Lodge, Toronto.

W. Bro. A. W. Carkeek, W. M. ; Bros. J. K. Brydon, S. A. Park, J. W. ; V. W. Bro. J. B. Nixon, P. M. ; W. Br Gallow, P. M. ; J. A. Richardson, P. M.

No. 66.

Durham Lodge, Newcastle.

W. Bro. Thomas Venner, W. M.

No. 68.

St John's Lodge, Ingersoll.

W. Bro. John R. Warnock, W. M.

No. 69.

Stirling Lodge, Stirling.

W. Bro. W. Yonker, P. M., Proxy.

No. 72.

Alma Lodge, Galt.

V. W. Bro. John Barbour, P. M., Proxy.

No. 73.

St. James' Lodge, St. Marys.

W. Bro. J. T. Wright, W. M. ; R. W. Bro. J. E. Ha P. M.

No. 74.

St. James' Lodge, Maitland.

W. Bro. John Moor, W. M. ; Bro. S. M. Davies, J. W.

No. 75.

St John's Lodge, Toronto.

W. Bro. Wm. Simpson, W. M. ; R. W. Bros. B. Saunde M. ; R. J. Hovenden, P. M. ; W. Bros. D. Ferguson, F Ulyases Boddy, P. M.

No. 76.

Oxford Lodge, Woodstock.

Bros. Wm. McKay, S. W. ; W. T. Wilkinson, J. W.

No. 77.

Faithful Brethren Lodge, Lindsay.

W. Bro. A. Burton, W. M.

No. 79.

Simcoe Lodge, Bradford.

W. Bros. J. F. Williams, W. M. ; H. S. Broughton, P. M

No. 81.

St John's Lodge, Mount Brydges.

W. Bro. G. B. Parrott, W. M.

No. 82.

St. John's Lodge, Paris.

W. Bro. John Finlayson, W. M. ; Bro. C. E. Adams, J.

No. 83.

Beaver Lodge, Strathroy.

V. W. Bro. Wm. Milner, P. M., Proxy.

No. 84.

Clinton Lodge, Clinton.

R. W. Bro. Isaac F. Toms, Proxy ; W. Bro. R. A. Ba P. M.

No. 86.

Wilson Lodge, Toronto.

W. Bro. Henry Sheard, W. M.

- No. 87. *Markham Union Lodge, Markham.*
W. Bro. F. R. Armstrong, W. M. ; V. W. Bro. G. R. Vanzant, P. M.
- No. 88. *St. George's Lodge, Owen Sound.*
W. Bro. R. McKnight, W. M. ; R. W. Bro. Henry McPherson, P. M.
- No. 89. *King Hiram Lodge, Lindsay.*
W. Bro. J. W. Wallace, Proxy ; V. W. Bro. A. H. Melville, P. M.
- No. 90. *Manito Lodge, Collingwood.*
W. Bro. W. B. Anderson, W. M. ; R. W. Bros. John Nettleton, P. M. ; Henry Robertson, P. M.
- No. 91. *Colborne Lodge, Colborne.*
W. Bros. W. L. King, W. M. ; M. Williams, P. M.
- No. 92. *Cataraqui Lodge, Kingston.*
Bro. Wm. Waddington, junr., S. W. ; R. W. Bro. R. Hendry, junr., P. M.
- No. 93. *Northern Light Lodge, Kincardine.*
W. Bro. Benjamin Fraser, W. M. ; R. W. Bro. De Witt H. Martyn, P. M.
- No. 96. *Corinthian Lodge, Barrie.*
W. Bro. James Ward, W. M. ; Bros. C. L. Saunders, S. W. George J. Smith, J. W.
- No. 97. *Sharon Lodge, Sharon.*
Bro. Silas Soules, S. W.
- No. 99. *Tuscan Lodge, Newmarket.*
W. Bros. R. M. Cooper, W. M. ; J. H. Widdifield, P. M.
- No. 100. *Valley Lodge, Dundas.*
W. Bro. H. Bickford, W. M. ; Bros. Geo. Manning, S. W. ; S. J. Lennard, J. W. ; W. D. McMillan, P. M.
- No. 101. *Corinthian Lodge, Peterboro'.*
W. Bro. E. H. D. Hall, P. M. ; Proxy.
- No. 103. *Maple Leaf Lodge, St. Catharines.*
W. Bro. W. A. Mittleberger, W. M. ; R. W. Bro. J. W. Coy, P. M. ; V. W. Bros. J. E. Beeton, P. M. ; Henry Carlisle, P. M.
- No. 104. *St. John's Lodge, Norwich.*
W. Bro. H. Couzens, W. M. ; Bro. J. A. Falconer, J. W.
- No. 105. *St. Mark's Lodge, Drummondville.*
W. Bros. Anson Garner, W. M. ; John Wills, P. M. ; C. J. McKenzie, P. M.
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- No. 106. *Burford Lodge, Burford.*
Bro. J. E. McWilliams, S. W
- No. 107. *St. Paul's Lodge, Lambeth.*
W. Bro. Allan Bogue, W. M.
- No. 108. *Blenheim Lodge, Drumbo.*
W. Bro. J. A. Patten, W. M.
- No. 109. *Albion Lodge, Harrowsmith.*
W. Bro. G. W. Gaden, Proxy.
- No. 110. *Central Lodge, Prescott.*
W. Bro. J. H. Kenning, P. M., Proxy ; R. W. Bro. James Reynolds, P. M.
- No. 112. *Maitland Lodge, Goderich.*
W. Bro. R. Radcliffe, W. M. ; R. W. Bro. Isaac F. Toms, P.M.
- No. 113. *Wilson Lodge, Waterford.*
W. Bro. E. H. Long, W. M. ; Bro. A. M. Barber, J. W. ; V. W. Bro. L. Beam, P. M.
- No. 114. *Hope Lodge, Port Hope.*
Bro. A. W. Pringle, S. W.
- No. 115. *Ivy Lodge, Beamsville.*
W. Bro. Wm. Gibson, W. M. ; R. W. Bro. G. Walker, P. M.
- No. 116. *Cassia Lodge, Thedford.*
W. Bro. George Watts, W. M. ; V. W. Bro. James Wilson, P. M.
- No. 119. *Maple Leaf Lodge, Bath.*
W. Bros. T. A. Seaward, W. M. ; George T. Daly, P. M.
- No. 120. *Warren Lodge, Fingal.*
R. W. Bro. John Cascaden, Proxy.
- No. 122. *Renfrew Lodge, Renfrew.*
W. Bro. Benj. Freer, P. M.
- No. 123. *The Belleville Lodge, Belleville.*
W. Bro. James Macoun, W. M ; Bro. Hugh McKinnon, S. W. ; R. W. Bro. James Smith, P. M.
- No. 125. *Cornwall Lodge, Cornwall.*
W. Bro. R. W. Macfarlane, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 126. *Golden Rule Lodge, Campbellford.*
Bro. J. T. Slater, S. W.
- No. 127. *Franck Lodge, Frankford.*
W. Bro. G. E. R. Wilson, W. M.

- No. 128 *Pembroke Lodge, Pembroke.*
Bro. James H. Burritt, S. W.
- No. 129. *The Rising Sun Lodge, Aurora.*
R. W. Bro. the Rev. C. W. Paterson, W. M.
- No. 133. *Lebanon Forest Lodge, Exeter.*
W. Bro. W. D. Bright, W. M.
- No. 135. *St. Clair Lodge, Milton.*
W. Bro. John Lyon, W. M. ; Bros. W. H. Macnab, S. W.
Joseph Rolls, J. W. ; V. W. Bro. W. L. P. Eager, P. M.
- No. 136. *Richardson Lodge, Stouffville.*
W. Bro. John Urquhart, W. M.
- No. 137. *Pythagoras Lodge, Meaford.*
W. Bro. J. S. Raper, W. M.
- No. 139. *Lebanon Lodge, Oshawa.*
W. Bro. Robert McCaw, W. M.
- No. 140. *Malahide Lodge, Aylmer.*
V. W. Bro. S. S. Clutton, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 141. *Tudor Lodge, Mitchell.*
Bro. A. M. Ross, S. W.
- No. 143. *Friendly Brothers Lodge, Iroquois.*
W. Bro. T. A. Thompson, W. M.
- No. 144. *Tecumseh Lodge, Stratford.*
W. Bro. C. McLellan, W. M.
- No. 145. *J. B. Hall Lodge, Millbrook.*
W. Bro. J. W. Wallace, P. M. Proxy.
- No. 146. *Prince of Wales Lodge, Newburgh.*
W. Bro. R. W. Longmoor, W. M.
- No. 148. *Civil Service Lodge, Ottawa.*
R. W. Bro. John Walsh, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 149. *Erie Lodge, Port Dover.*
W. Bro. H. W. Ansley, W. M.
- No. 151. *The Grand River Lodge, Berlin.*
W. Bro. James Lockie, P. M.
- No. 153. *Burns' Lodge, Wyoming.*
W. Bro. Richard Dixie, Proxy.
- No. 154. *Irving Lodge, Lucan.*
W. Bros. W. Quigley, W. M. ; W. Matheson, P. M.

- No. 155. *Peterborough Lodge, Peterborough.*
W. Bro. William Toole, W. M.
- No. 156. *York Lodge, Eglinton.*
V. W. Bro. John Fisher, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 157. *Simpson Lodge, Newboro'.*
V. W. Bro. J. R. Dargavel, W. M.
- No. 158. *Alexandria Lodge, Oil Springs.*
V. W. Bro. William Milner, Proxy
- No. 159. *Goodwood Lodge, Richmond.*
W. Bro. John Satchell, W. M.
- No. 165. *Burlington Lodge, Burlington.*
W. Bro. William Kerns, W. M. ; Bro. S. M. Durkee, S.
R. W. Bro. John Osborne, P. M.
- No. 166. *Wentworth Lodge, Stoney Creek.*
R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray, W. M. ; W. Bro. G. Slingerl
P. M.
- No. 168. *Merritt Lodge, Welland.*
W. Bro. E. H. Burgar, W. M.
- No. 170. *Britannia Lodge, Seaforth.*
Bro. T. K. Anderson, S. W. ; R. W. Bro. J. H. Benson, P
- No. 171. *Prince of Wales Lodge, Iona.*
W. Bro. S. H. Weldon, W. M. ; R. W. Bro. J. Cascaden, P
- No. 172. *Ayr Lodge, Ayr.*
W. Bros. George D. Lewis, W. M. ; W. C. Patton, P. M.
- No. 177. *The Builders' Lodge, Ottawa.*
W. Bro. J. C. Kearns, W. M. ; Bro. D. Taylor, J. W.
- No. 178. *Plattsville Lodge, Plattsville.*
V. W. Bro. George Risk, W. M.
- No. 180. *Speed Lodge, Guelph.*
W. Bro. John Scoon, W. M.
- No. 183. *Prince Albert Lodge, Port Perry.*
W. Bro. D. M. Card, Proxy.
- No. 184. *Old Light Lodge, Lucknow.*
W. Bro. John Matheson, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 185. *Enniskillen Lodge, York.*
W. Bros. William Clark, W. M. ; G. W. Murton, P. M.
- No. 189. *Filius Vidue Lodge, Adolphustown.*
W. Bro. W. H. Dame, W. M.

- No. 190.** *Belmont Lodge, Belmont.*
W. Bro. J. J. Jelly, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 193.** *Scotland Lodge, Scotland.*
R. W. Bro. Rev. Wm. Hay, W. M. ; Bros. James Hagerman, S. W. ; Gordon Wood, J. W.
- No. 194.** *Petrolia Lodge, Petrolia.*
W. Bro. James McLurgy, W. M.
- No. 195.** *The Tuscan Lodge, London.*
W. Bros. James Priddis, Proxy ; A. G. Smyth, P. M.
- No. 197.** *Saugeen Lodge, Walkerton.*
W. Bro. J. F. H. Gunn, W. M. ; R. W. Bro. J. G. Cooper, P. M. ; W. Bro. Joseph Craig, P. M.
- No. 198.** *White Oak Lodge, Oakville.*
Bro. W. A. Ferrah, S. W. ; W. Bro. N. J. McIntyre, P. M.
- No. 200.** *St. Alban's Lodge, Mount Forest.*
W. Bro. W. W. Winfield, W. M. ; R. W. Bro. J. McLaren, P. M.
- No. 203.** *Irvine Lodge, Elora.*
R. W. Bro. John MacDonald, W. M.
- No. 207.** *Lancaster Lodge, Lancaster.*
W. Bro. R. W. Macfarlane, Proxy.
- No. 209. (a)** *St. John's Lodge, London.*
W. Bro. H. C. Owen, W. M. ; Bros. J. S. Dewar, S. W. ; W. J. Johnston, J. W. ; R. W. Bro. T. H. Tracy, P. M.
- No. 212.** *Elysian Lodge, Garden Island.*
W. Bro. Duncan Bole, W. M.
- No. 214.** *Craig Lodge, Ailsa Craig.*
Bro. John Wells, S. W.
- No. 215.** *Lake Lodge, Ameliasburg.*
V. W. Bro. B. Rothwell, W. M.
- No. 216.** *Harris Lodge, Orangeville.*
W. Bro. John C. Fox, W. M. ; V. W. Bro. S. S. McCormack, P. M.
- No. 217.** *Frederick Lodge, Delhi.*
W. Bro. H. C. Hilliker, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 218.** *Stevenson Lodge, Toronto.*
W. Bro. A. Donaldson, W. M. ; Bro. G. H. Lauder, J. W. ; V. W. Bro. W. C. Morrison, P. M. ; W. Bros. John Patton, P. M. ; D. Clark, P. M.

- No. 219. *Credit Lodge, Georgetown.*
W. Bro. William Freeman, W. M.
- No. 220. *Zeredatha Lodge, Uxbridge.*
W. Bro. D. M. Card, W. M. ; R. W. Bro. G. H. F. Dart
P. M.
- No. 221. *Mountain Lodge, Thorold.*
W. Bro. William Winslow, W. M.
- No. 223. *Norwood Lodge, Norwood.*
W. Bro. W. E. Roxburgh, W. M.
- No. 225. *Bernard Lodge, Listowel.*
W. Bro. S. M. Smith, W. M.
- No. 228. *Prince Arthur Lodge, Odessa.*
W. Bro. Rev. F. B. Stratton, P. M.
- No. 229. *Ionic Lodge, Brampton.*
W. Bro. A. Little, W. M. ; Bros. Adam Morton, S. W. ;
Clarke, J. W.
- No. 231. *Lodge of Fidelity, Ottawa.*
R. W. Bro. John Walsh, Proxy.
- No. 232. *Cameron Lodge, Wallacetown.*
W. Bro. Robert Jordan, W. M.
- No. 234. *Beaver Lodge, Clarksburg.*
W. Bro. Charles Pye, W. M.
- No. 236. *Manitoba Lodge, Bond Head.*
W. Bro. W. R. Jamison, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 238. *Havelock Lodge, Watford.*
W. Bros. Richard Dixie, W. M. ; N. J. Lindsay, P. M.
- No. 243. *St. George Lodge, St. George.*
V. W. Bro. E. E. Kitchen, W. M.
- No. 247. *Ashlar Lodge, Yorkville.*
W. Bro. Alex. Dixon, W. M. ; Bro. W. Lowery, J. W. ;
Bro. B. Saunders, P. M. ; W. Bros. W. S. Robinson, P.
J. S. Donaldson, P. M.
- No. 248. *Eureka Lodge, Pakenham.*
R. W. Bro. John Walsh, Proxy.
- No. 250. *Thistle Lodge, Embro.*
W. Bro. S. S. Willison, W. M. ; Bros. Angus Munro, S.
H. C. Ross, J. W. ; W. Bro. John W. Upper, P. M.
- No. 253. *Minden Lodge, Kingston.*
W. Bro. F. Welch, W. M. ; R. W. Bro. Allan McLean, P.

- No. 254. *Clifton Lodge, Clifton.*
W. Bro. John Wills, W. M.
- No. 255. *Sydenham Lodge, Dresden.*
R. W. Bro. T. C. McNabb, Proxy.
- No. 257. *Galt Lodge, Galt.*
W. Bros. Jas. Patterson, W. M. ; W. Cowan, P. M.
- No. 258. *Guelph Lodge, Guelph.*
W. Bros. J. H. Finlay, W. M. ; D. Kennedy, P. M.
- No. 260. *Washington Lodge, Petrolia.*
W. Bros. A. McDonald, W. M. ; R. M. Cooper, P. M.
- No. 262. *Harriston Lodge, Harriston.*
W. Bro. H. Leighton, W. M. ; R. W. Bro. Alex. Irvine, P. M.
- No. 264. *Chaudiere Lodge, Ottawa.*
W. Bro. Cassius Campbell, Proxy.
- No. 265. *Patterson Lodge, Thornhill.*
V. W. Bro. John Fisher, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 267. *Parthenon Lodge, Chatham.*
W. Bro. W. H. Sparling, W. M. ; V. W. Bro. W. L. Tack-
aberry, P. M. ; W. Bro. W. H. Ballard, P. M.
- No. 268. *Verulam Lodge, Bobcaygeon.*
W. Bro. E. H. D. Hall, Proxy.
- No. 269. *Brougham Union Lodge, Brougham.*
Bro. John Palmer, S. W.
- No. 270. *Cedar Lodge, Oshawa.*
W. Bro. Robert McCaw, Proxy.
- No. 271. *Wellington Lodge, Erin.*
W. Bro. James Hamilton, W. M.
- No. 272. *Seymour Lodge, Ancaster.*
W. Bros. E. Kenrick, P. M. ; S. A Findlay, P. M.
- No. 274. *Kent Lodge, Blenheim.*
W. Bro. W. H. Sparling, Proxy.
- No. 277. *Seymour Lodge, Port Dalhousie.*
V. W. Bro. Robt. Patterson, W. M. ; Bro. Curtis Rose, J.
W. ; W. Bro. John Green, P. M..
- No. 278. *Mystic Lodge, Roslin.*
R. W. Bro. James Smith, Proxy.
- No. 279. *New Hope Lodge, Hespeier.*
W. Bros. Christian Pabst, W. M. ; A. B. Jardine, P. M.

- No. 282. *Lorne Lodge, Glencoe.*
V. W. Bro. Wm. Milner, Proxy.
- No. 283. *Eureka Lodge, Belleville.*
R. W. Bro. L. H. Henderson, P. M., Proxy ; W. Bro. W. Hamilton, P. M.
- No. 285. *Seven Star Lodge, Alliston.*
W. Bros. Wm. Wright, W. M. ; H. McC. Wright, P. M.
S. Patterson, P. M.
- No. 286. *Wingham Lodge, Wingham.*
W. Bro. W. T. Bray, W. M.
- No. 287. *Shuniah Lodge, Prince Arthur's Landing.*
V. W. Bro. W. C. Dobie, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 289. *Doric Lodge, Lobo.*
V. W. Bro. T. R. Powell, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 290. *Leamington Lodge, Leamington.*
W. Bro. W. C. Coulson, W. M.
- No. 291. *Dufferin Lodge, West Flamboro.*
W. Bro. David Bell, W. M. ; Bro. A. Cochrane, S. W.
- No. 292. *Robertson Lodge, Nobleton.*
W. Bro. Jas. D. Stevenson, W. M.
- No. 295. *Conestogo Lodge, Drayton.*
W. Bros C. Hendry, W. M. ; S. R. Dales, P. M. ; R. Pujolas, P. M.
- No. 297. *Preston Lodge, Preston.*
W. Bro. C. E. Klotz, W. M. ; R. W. Bros. O. Klotz, P. W. D. Hepburn, P. M.
- No. 299. *Victoria Lodge, Centreville.*
W. Bro. H. A. Baker, W. M.
- No. 300. *Mount Olivet Lodge, Thorndale.*
W. Bro. Wm. Harrison, W. M.
- No. 302. *St. David's Lodge, St. Thoman.*
W. Bro. J. Z. Long, W. M.
- No. 303. *Blyth Lodge, Blyth.*
W. Bro. Wm. Wilson, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 304. *Minerva Lodge, Craigvale.*
V. W. Bro. Robt. King, W. M.
- No. 305. *Humber Lodge, Weston.*
V. W. Bro. W. C. Morrison, P. M.

- No. 306. *Durham Lodge, Durham.*
W. Bro. A. McKenzie, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 307. *Arkona Lodge, Arkona.*
W. Bro. A. W. Augustine, W. M.
- No. 309. *Morning Star Lodge, Smiths Hill.*
W. Bro. Alex. Robertson, W. M.
- No. 311. *Blackwood Lodge, Woodbridge.*
Bro. J. F. McIntosh, J. W. ; W. Bro. G. Gilmour, P. M.
- No. 312. *Pnyx Lodge, Wallaceburgh.*
R. W. Bro T. C. Macnabb, Proxy.
- No. 313. *Clementi Lodge, Lakefield.*
W. Bro. John Hull, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 314. *Blair Lodge, Palmerston.*
V. W. Bro. H. Hyndman, W. M. ; W. Bro. A. B. Munson, P. M.
- No. 315. *Clifford Lodge, Clifford.*
W. Bro. J. S. Dewar, W. M. ; Bro. J. D. Allen, S. W.
- No. 316. *Doric Lodge, Toronto.*
Bro. C. Pearson, J. W. ; V. W. Bro. J. B. Nixon, P. M.
- No. 317. *The Hiram Lodge, Dundas.*
W. Bros. W. P. Crawford, W. M. ; T. Clark, P. M. ; H. C. Gwyn, P. M.
- No. 319. *Hiram Lodge, Cheapside.*
W. Bros. George Shirk, W. M. ; A. Hobbs, P. M. ; Jas. Smyth, P. M.
- No. 321. *Walker Lodge, Acton West.*
W. Bro. John Shaw, W. M.
- No. 322. *North Star Lodge, Owen Sound.*
W. Bros. Robert Edgar, W. M. ; John Creasor, P. M.
- No. 324. *Temple Lodge, Hamilton.*
W. Bro. John B. Young, W. M. ; Bro. C. W. Mulligan, S. W. ; R. W. Bros. R. L. Gunn, P. M. ; E. Mitchell, P. M. ; Hugh Murray, P. M. ; David McLellan, P. M. ; V. W. Bro. C. Lemon, P. M. ; W. Bro. Wm. Gibson, P. M.
- No. 326. *Zetland Lodge, Toronto.*
W. Bro. E. T. Malone, W. M. ; R. W. Bros. R. J. Hovenden, P. M. ; T. Sargent, P. M. ; J. G. Burns, P. M. ; V. W. Bro. J. B. Nixon, P. M.
- No. 328. *Ionic Lodge, Napier.*
W. Bro. Jas. Cameron, W. M.
- No. 329. *King Solomon Lodge, Jarvis.*
W. Bro. J. D. Crichton, W. M. ; Bro. E. H. Hart, S. W.

- No. 330. *Corinthian Lodge, London East.*
W. Bro. James Priddis, Proxy.
- No. 331. *Fordwich Lodge, Fordwich.*
W. Bro. H. Leighton, Proxy.
- No. 332. *Stratford Lodge, Stratford.*
Bro. A. G. McKay, S. W.
- No. 334. *Prince Arthur Lodge, Arthur.*
R. W. Bro. John McLaren, Proxy.
- No. 337. *Myrtle Lodge, Port Robinson.*
Bro. O. F. Wilkins, J. W. ; V. W. Bro. W. H. Bell, P. M.
- No. 338. *Dufferin Lodge, Welland Port.*
W. Bros. J. E. Coboe, P. M., Proxy ; N. Shafley, P. M.
Makeague, P. M.
- No. 339. *Orient Lodge, Don Mount.*
W. Bro. John Jones, W. M. ; Bro. J. K. Bryden, J. W.
W. Bro. J. G. Burns, P. M. ; W. Bro. J. K. Leslie, P. M.
- No. 344. *Merrill Lodge, Dorchester Station.*
W. Bro. E. T. Shaw, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 345. *Nilestown Lodge, Nilestown.*
W. Bro. W. H. Street, Proxy.
- No. 346. *Occident Lodge, Toronto.*
V. W. Bro. Jas. Wilson, W. M. ; Bro. J. S. Williams, P. M.
- No. 347. *Mercer Lodge, Fergus.*
W. Bro. Harry Vincent, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 348. *Georgian Lodge, Penetanguishene.*
W. Bro. J. J. Buckley, W. M.
- No. 349. *Elgin Lodge, St. Thomas.*
W. Bro. Jas. A. Bell, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 350. *Port Elgin Lodge, Port Elgin.*
W. Bro. Wm. Mitchell, W. M.
- No. 351. *St. Marys Lodge, St. Marys.*
R. W. Bro. J. E. Harding, W. M.
- No. 352. *Granite Lodge, Parry Sound.*
R. W. Bro. John Nettleton, Proxy.
- No. 353. *Excelsior Lodge, Colborne.*
W. Bro. J. J. Campbell, P. M.
- No. 354. *Brock Lodge, Cannington.*
R. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, Proxy.
- No. 355. *Clandeboyne Lodge, Perth.*
W. Bro. John Moore, Proxy.
- No. 356. *River Park Lodge, Streetsville.*
W. Bros. Robt. Cornish, W. M. ; W. Webb, P. M.

- No. 357. *Waterdown Lodge, Waterdown.*
W. Bros. Geo. Baker, W. M. ; J. O. McGregor, P. M. ; D. H. Hunter, P. M.
- No. 358. *Delaware Valley Lodge, Delaware.*
W. Bro. J. Fitzallen, P. M.
- No. 359. *Vittoria Lodge, Vittoria.*
W. Bros. Wm. Kennedy, P. M., Proxy ; D. L. Beemer, P. M.
- No. 360. *Muskoka Lodge, Bracebridge.*
V. W. Bro. Isaac Huber, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 361. *Waverley Lodge, Guelph.*
Bro. F. B. Skinner, J. W.
- No. 362. *Maple Leaf Lodge, Tara.*
W. Bro. R. C. Bruce, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 364. *Dufferin Lodge, Melbourne.*
W. Bros. D. McRae, W. M. ; D. A. Sinclair, P. M.
- No. 366. *Euclid Lodge, Strathroy.*
W. Bros. John Paine, W. M. ; Jas. Noble, P. M.
- No. 367. *St. George Lodge, Toronto.*
W. Bro. John A. Wills, W. M. ; V. W. Bro. Jas. Wilson, P. M. ; W. Bro. J. T. Jones, P. M.
- No. 368. *Salem Lodge, Brockville.*
R. W. Bro. Jas. Reynolds, W. M.
- No. 369. *Mimico Lodge, Lambton.*
R. W. Bro. J. G. Burns, W. M.
- No. 372. *Palmer Lodge, Victoria.*
W. Bro. Wm. Thompson, W. M. ; Bro. Robt. Moore, S. W. ; W. Bro. Alfred Hurrell, P. M.
- No. 373. *Copetstone Lodge, Welland.*
W. Bro. M. W. Bridgman, W. M. ; Bro. E. H. Burgar, S. W. ; V. W. Bro. J. M. Dunn, P. M. ; W. Bro. R. H. Dyer, P. M.
- No. 374. *Keene Lodge, Keene.*
W. Bro. Wm. Toole, Proxy.
- No. 375. *Lorne Lodge, Onemee.*
W. Bro. J. W. Wallace, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 376. *Unity Lodge Huntsville.*
W. Bro. D. M. Card, W. M.
- No. 378. *King Solomon's Lodge, Petersville.*
W. Bro. Peter Grant, W. M. ; Bro. M. J. Glass, S. W. ; W. Bros. John B. Smyth, P. M. ; John Simpson, P. M.
- No. 379. *Middlesex Lodge, Bryanston.*
W. Bro. L. G. Jarvis, Proxy.

- No. 380. *Union Lodge, London.*
 W. Bro. L. G. Jarvis, W. M. ; Bro. W. M. Cairns, S. W. = R.
 W. Bros. R. B. Hungerford, P. M. ; W. D. McGloghlon, P.
 M. ; W. Bro. W. H. Street, P. M.
- No. 382. *Doric Lodge Hamilton.*
 R. W. Bro. R. L. Gunn, W. M. ; Bro. Jas. Stiff, S. W. ; R. W.
 Bros. Hugh Murray, P. M. ; J. J. Mason, P. M.
- No. 383. *Henderson Lodge, West Winchester.*
 W. Bro. E. L. White, W. M.
- No. 384. *Alpha Lodge, Parkdale.*
 W. Bros. John Gray, W. M. ; Geo. Tait, P. M.
- No. 385. *Spry Lodge, Beeton.*
 W. Bro. W. H. Dickson, W. M.
- U. D. *Henderson Lodge, Ilderton.*
 W. Bro. R. Patterson, W. M.
- U. D. *Florence Lodge, Florence.*
 W. Bro. W. E. Norton, W. M.
- U. D. *Howard Lodge, Ridgelytown.*
 W. Bro. D. Cochrane, W. M. ; P. J. McLean, S. W.
- U. D. *Huron Lodge, Camlachie.*
 Bro. F. Kennedy, J. W.
- U. D. *King Solomon Lodge, Thamesford.*
 W. Bro. M. Day, W. M.

The M. W. the Grand Master granted permission for the admission of all Master Masons in good standing, as visitors.

The Grand Secretary read the rules and regulations for the government of Grand Lodge during time of business.

The Grand Secretary commenced reading the minutes of proceedings at the last Annual Communication, when

It was moved by R. W. Bro. Otto Klotz, seconded by R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray, and

Resolved, That the minutes of the proceedings of Grand Lodge at its Twenty-fifth Annual Communication, held at the City of Guelph on the 14th and 15th days of July, A. D. 1880, having been printed, and copies thereof forwarded to the Subordinate Lodges, the same be considered as read and now confirmed, and that the minutes of the several Special Communications of Grand Lodge, entered by the Grand Secretary in the Minute Book, be taken as read, and are hereby confirmed.

ADDRESS OF WELCOME.

The Worshipful Masters of the Lodges in the City of Hamilton were then announced, received, and W. Bro. H. Munsie, W. M. of Barton Lodge, read the following

ADDRESS.

To James A. Henderson, Esq., Q. C., D. C. L., the Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of A. F. and A. M. of Canada.

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR:—On behalf of the several Lodges in Hamilton, we offer you a hearty and fraternal welcome to this city, whilst holding the Twenty-sixth Annual Communication of Grand Lodge, and through you we desire to extend similar greetings to the officers and members of Grand Lodge, and to any brethren from other jurisdictions who may favor us with their presence.

The Hamilton brethren have long looked forward to the time when they would have the pleasure of again receiving their brethren resident throughout the length and breadth of this jurisdiction, and they will always be gratified to have a recurrence of the same pleasure whenever the Grand Lodge can grant that favor without withholding so highly prized a privilege from others equally entitled to it.

On the completion of your second year in the office of Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Canada, we congratulate you, Most Worshipful Sir, on the general prosperity of the craft, which prosperity and the prevailing harmony are the consequences of the able and fraternal manner in which you have administered the important functions of your office. The high estimation in which you are personally held by the brethren in the Hamilton district cannot be adequately expressed in words, but we assure you that the esteem is sincere and heartfelt.

We hope that our visiting brethren will be pleased with the accommodation which this city affords, that they will bear away with them pleasurable recollections of their stay in our midst,

and that the deliberations over which you are now presiding will result in increased prosperity and the extension of those fraternal feelings which have hitherto existed in the Grand Lodge of Canada.

H. MUNSIE,

W. M. Barton Lodge, No. 6.

CHARLES H. FOSTER,

W. M. Strict Observance Lodge, No. 27.

J. B. BISHOP,

W. M. St. John's Lodge, No. 40.

H. SWEETMAN,

W. M. Acacia Lodge, No. 61.

JOHN B. YOUNG,

W. M. Temple Lodge, No. 324.

R. L. GUNN,

W. M. Doric Lodge, No. 382.

The Most Worshipful the Grand Master replied as follows :

BRETHREN,—I thank you for the very kind expressions contained in your address, and believe me the hearty welcome extended to the Grand Lodge by the brethren of Hamilton will not be forgotten. The meeting of the Grand Lodge in the different cities of this Province I have always considered as tending to the success and prosperity of our Order. It brings together, in the different localities, those brethren whom one would hardly meet if Grand Lodge was held in one city, and there is no doubt that the meetings of Grand Lodge always leave behind them pleasant recollections. You have alluded to my having filled the Grand Master's chair for two years with satisfaction to the craft. It is, indeed, a source of much gratification to me that I have so acted as to win the esteem of my brethren and fellows, and the present prosperity of the Order bears testimony to the successful and prudent legislation of the Grand Lodge. I can only hope that as the Grand Lodge has so happily met, so may we part, nothing happening to disturb the general harmony of our proceedings, and may we and the Hamilton brethren ever retain a pleasant recollection of this Grand Lodge meeting.

GRAND MASTER'S ADDRESS.

The Most Worshipful the Grand Master delivered the following address to the Brethren assembled in Grand Communication :—

BRETHREN OF GRAND LODGE :—Time, in its ceaseless onward flight, has again brought us together in our fraternal council. Prosperity and harmony, the strength and support of all institutions, prevail, for which we render devout acknowledgment to the Supreme Ruler, in whose might we are strong, and without whom, in our best and highest estate, we are but frail and feeble beings.

The mission of our order is truly that of peace and good will ; we have nothing to do with political turmoil, with the conflicts of contending parties in the state, or with the aggressive attempts of nations. Freemasonry, as properly understood, is not only a principle of systematic coherence founded on charity and sympathy, but a brotherhood of men who desire to promote the intellectual enlightenment and moral advancement of each other, to the honor of the Great Architect of the universe. It is a satisfaction to know that if imperfections are to be found among us, the order itself countenances no departure from the rules of rectitude and propriety ; the very clouds which occasionally obscure our horizon remind us of the rays of light behind, which augur a forthcoming glorious noon. With these principles before us let us then take counsel together as to the best means of advancing the work for which we are here associated, and so carry out the designs left by our predecessors on the Masonic Trestle-board.

But while with grateful hearts we render thanks, we are bowed with grief when announcing that the hues of mourning have rested on the dais of the Grand Lodge. Death has removed from our midst one whose presence always brought pleasure to our hearts, one whose brotherly grip will ever be remembered, a brother who aided and guided us by his marked wisdom, in our deliberations, and whose wise counsels tended to the advancement of the order ; the Most Worshipful Brother, William Henry Weller, Past Grand

Master, departed this life on the 28th of March last, at his residence in Cobourg. He was laid to rest by the Brethren of his Lodge, and the deputations from the Grand Lodge and many Lodges, show the esteem in which our brother was held. The Most Worshipful Brother was initiated into Masonry on the 20th of January, 1846, in St. Andrew's Lodge, Toronto. He was elected Worshipful Master of St. John's Lodge, Cobourg, in 1856 and thrice filled the chair, attentive and zealous. The members of this Grand Lodge placed him in the highest position to be attained, and elected him Grand Master in the years 1877 and 1878. We mourn his loss, but with the hope that his future, like his life, is one of peace.

I notice, with deep regret, that Right Worshipful Brother, James V. Mackey, our late representative to the Grand Lodge of Ireland, died on the 15th of November, A.D. 1880; a brother beloved and respected by all who knew him, and who, by his repeated acts of kindness and attention, endeared himself to the Canadian Brethren.

While on an errand of mercy the late Right Worshipful Brother William Mostyn, Past District Deputy Grand Master for the Ottawa District, met an accidental death by drowning on the 29th of March last; he was a Brother distinguished for his zeal and love for Freemasonry. In the pride of manhood, in the fullness of health, he was suddenly called away and we shall know him no more.

To our sister Grand Lodges who have been called on to mourn the loss of distinguished Officers, and worthy members, we extend our fraternal sympathy and heartfelt condolence.

A few days ago a shudder was felt in every breast when the intelligence was flashed throughout the land that an attempt had been made on the life of the Chief Magistrate of the neighboring Republic. Our heart-felt sympathies have been echoed in his behalf, and as lovers of order and as men who are taught to conform with cheerfulness to the government under which we live, we

deprecate the dastardly attempt of the assassin, and trust that God in his mercy will vouchsafe to the President of the United States a speedy restoration to health, and that what now appears a sad affliction may be the means of further increasing towards him the respect and affection of the nation over which he presides.

In pursuance of the authority granted at the last Communication of the Grand Lodge, I have signed the Warrants for the following Lodges :—

Kinistino Lodge, No. 381, Prince Albert, North West Territories.

Doric Lodge, No. 382, Hamilton, County of Wentworth.

Henderson Lodge, No. 383, West Winchester, County of Dundas.

Alpha Lodge, 384, Parkdale, County of York.

Spry Lodge, No. 385, Beeton, County of Simcoe.

Acting on the recommendation of the Board, I continued until this session, the dispensations for the McColl Lodge at West Lorne, and for the Lansdown Lodge at Lansdown.

I have granted dispensations for the hereinafter mentioned Lodges :

On 24th September, 1880.—Henderson Lodge, at Ilderton, in the County of Middlesex.

On 7th December, 1880.—Crystal Fountain Lodge, at North Augusta, in the County of Grenville.

On 11th February, 1881.—Florence Lodge, at Florence, in the County of Lambton.

On 15th February, 1881.—Morpeth Lodge, at Ridgetown, in the County of Bothwell.

On 17th February, 1881.—Huron Lodge, at Camlachie, in the County of Lambton.

On 5th March, 1881.—Cedar Lodge, at Wiarton, in the County of Bruce.

On 17th March, 1881.—Forest Lodge, at Chesley, in the County of Bruce.

On 7th April, 1881.—King Solomon Lodge, at Thamesford, in the County of Oxford.

On 9th June, 1881.—Parvaim Lodge, at Comber, in the County of Essex.

In each case I have been assured that the Officers appointed to take charge are intelligent and trustworthy Brethren.

I declined to grant a dispensation for a Lodge at Eden Grove, the District Deputy Grand Master for the Huron District not recommending the petition.

During the past year Corinthian Lodge, No. 51, Grahamville, and Enterprise Lodge, No. 310, Beachburg, have surrendered their Warrants. The former Lodge has not made any return to Grand Lodge since 24th June, 1873, and the latter owing to the removal of a number of its members, and other causes, found it impossible to continue in active working.

The relations of this Grand Lodge with other Grand Lodges have continued to be most harmonious, the usual interchange of proceedings has been made, and nothing has occurred to interrupt the harmony which has so long prevailed.

The much regretted difficulties between the Grand Lodges of New York and Connecticut are, I am happy to say, in a fair way of being removed, and we must rejoice that there is every prospect of a renewal of a fraternal spirit and intercourse between those venerable bodies.

The Grand Lodge of Scotland and the Grand Lodge of Quebec have entered on a course of action which will result in an interchange of representatives, based on the lasting feelings of a generous and mutual respect.

I have had much pleasure in appointing the following Brethren as our representatives near foreign Grand Lodges :—Right Worshipful Brother Simon B. Newcomb, near the Grand Lodge of New Mexico. Brother Felix Companioni, near the United Grand Lodge of Colon and the Island of Cuba. Right Worshipful Brother Humphry Minchin, near the Grand Lodge of Ireland. Worshipful Brother George F. Moore, near the Grand Lodge of Alabama, in the place of W. Brother, Henry A. Woolf, deceased.

Credentials have been received and accepted to this Grand Lodge, appointing Right Worshipful Brother Peter J. Brown, Representative of the Grand Lodge of New Mexico. Right Worshipful Brother, George H. F. Dartnell, Representative of the United Grand Lodge of Colon and the Island of Cuba. And the Grand Lodge of New Hampshire has been pleased to appoint me their Representative. May it be the means of further strengthening the cords of fraternal feeling which exists between that Grand Lodge and the Grand Lodge of Canada.

In my address of last year, I remarked that it was desirable to see our funds increased, not merely for the sake of accumulation, but that our circle of Benevolence may be still more enlarged. I have now the gratification of being able to announce that the payments during the period ending 31st May last, to the Widows and Orphans, and to distressed Masons, amounted to \$12,408.75, and yet our Funds have increased by \$2,628.76, our invested funds and cash balance on 31st May, 1881, being \$63,401.00. Truly the Grand Lodge of Canada is rewarded for its relieving with liberal hands the many objects of tender solicitude and compassion. I shall not further allude to our monetary affairs as the Financial Statements of the Grand Treasurer and Grand Secretary, full and complete in matters of detail, with the Report of the Board on Audit and Finance, will be laid before you.

Goderich Lodge, No. 33, and Maitland Lodge, No. 112, both held in the town of Goderich, submitted for my consideration and action, an application recommended by the District Deputy Grand Master of the Huron District, that these Lodges should be consolidated, the warrants surrendered, and a new special charter issued. I held that the whole matter should come before the Grand Lodge, as that body only could issue a warrant. The consolidation of Lodges in other towns and places has been suggested, and I believe that if properly carried out it would in many instances inspire more energy into the work where it now languishes, and tend to advance the interests and well-being of our order. I have deemed it a matter of such importance that I place before you a course of proceedings which may be adopted as the ground work of additions to our Constitution on the subject of consolidation of Lodges.

Two or more Lodges having concurrent or adjoining jurisdiction may consolidate and become one Lodge, under the name and number of the lodge so consolidating whose charter was first issued, upon the consent of two-thirds of the members of each Lodge present, voting at a regular meeting of the respective Lodges, and there not being seven brethren who oppose the consolidation, they being members of the Lodge whose warrant would be surrendered. The vote for such consolidation shall be had in the several Lodges desiring consolidation, at the regular meetings thereof, respectively, held nearest together in point of time. At least eight days notice of such proposed consolidation shall be given all members of each Lodge, residing within their respective jurisdictions, and the Lodge so continuing shall take possession of and own all books, papers, jewels, furniture, funds, credits and other property of the Lodges so consolidated, and shall assume their liabilities, and shall have exclusive personal jurisdiction over all the members, rejected and unfinished material, as well as all suspended and expelled members of the Lodge so consolidated. When the Lodges shall have consolidated as aforesaid, the approval of the proceeding by the District Deputy Grand Master having jurisdiction shall be obtained, and by him sent to the

Grand Secretary, and the Secretary of each of the Lodges so consolidated shall within 30 days from the date of such consolidation transmit to the Grand Secretary a duly authenticated copy of all the proceedings held in his Lodge in connection with such consolidation, and at the same time the Lodge or Lodges losing its or their identity in consequence of such consolidation, shall transmit to the Grand Secretary its or their warrant or warrants, and such transmission shall be deemed a surrender thereof. All the members of the Lodge or Lodges so losing its or their identity shall be and become members of the Lodge so continuing, and subject to the By-laws and discipline of such continuing Lodge, in like manner and to the same extent as though his and their membership originated in the Lodge so continuing.

Among the many decisions made by me, the following are the more important :

The Worshipful Master and Brethren of a Lodge proceeded to ballot for a candidate for initiation knowing that no report of a committee on character had been received as the By-laws of the Lodge required. The ballot was not favorable. I held it was too late to take advantage of the irregularity, that the candidate must be held as a rejected candidate and must wait the twelve months before again applying, as is provided for by the constitution.

The warrant of a Lodge having been surrendered to Grand Lodge, I held that I had not the power to order its issue to certain petitioning Brethren, but that it rested with Grand Lodge to allow or refuse its issue.

Certain members having committed an irregularity which called forth a temporary suspension from Masonic privileges, after an investigation had, the brethren regretted the commission of the offence, and on the recommendation of the District Deputy Grand Master, I removed the suspension and restored the brethren to good standing.

I refused to grant a dispensation to initiate a candidate who

had lost the thumb of his right hand; and a candidate who had lost a foot, I held ineligible.

I granted a dispensation to initiate a candidate out of jurisdiction of the Lodge near which he resided, as that Lodge had ceased working, its warrant however, had not been called in or surrendered. I also granted a dispensation for a similar purpose, good and sufficient reasons having been laid before me.

I have visited several Lodges and have seen the work well and carefully exemplified, and the zeal and ability shown fully warranted the commendations I bestowed. Some changes, slight though they may be, I find, have crept in, and as it is some years since the degrees have been worked in Grand Lodge, I consider it would be for the advantage of the Brethren, if during this session steps were taken to remove doubts and restore the ancient purity of our ritual.

I recommed to the favorable notice of the craft, a digest of Masonic jurisprudence just issued. It is the first compilation of Canadian Masonic Law, which has been placed before the brethren, and as such reflects great credit on its author. The matter of this work has been ably collated and edited by Right Worshipful Brother Henry Robertson, for several years Chairman of the Committee on Foreign Correspondence, and of the Committee on Grievances and Appeals. The book should be in the hands of every brother, for a careful study of its contents, and a reference to the rulings of Grand Masters, and decisions of Grand Lodge, will with the opinions of the editor based as they are on careful research, enable the officers and members of private Lodges to avoid the difficulties which so often arise in the performance of their duties.

The following special communications of the Grand Lodge have been held :—

On the 5th August, 1880, when I laid with Masonic ceremonies, the corner stone of the Masonic Temple in the City of London.

On the 28th October, 1880, when the new hall of Pnyx Lodge, 312, Wallaceburg, was consecrated by Right Worshipful Brother T. C. Macnabb, District Deputy Grand Master.

On the 8th February, 1881, when the new hall of the Corinthian Lodge, 96, Barrie, was consecrated by Right Worshipful Brother James Moffat, Deputy Grand Master.

On the 22nd February, 1881, when the same Right Worshipful Brother consecrated the new hall of King Solomon's Lodge, 43, and Oxtord Lodge, 76, Woodstock.

On the 15th March, 1881, when the new hall of Credit Lodge, Georgetown, was consecrated by Right Worshipful Brother J. M. Meakens, District Deputy Grand Master.

On the 24th May, 1881, when the corner stone of of St. John's (Episcopal) Church, Rockwood, was laid by the same Right Worshipful Brother.

On the 1st June, 1881, when the new hall of Petrolia Lodge, 194, and Washington Lodge, 260, Petrolia, was consecrated by Right Worshipful Brother T. C. Macnabb, District Deputy Grand Master.

On the 2nd June, 1881, when I constituted Alpha Lodge, 384, Parkdale, and consecrated their hall.

On the 16th June, 1881, when I laid the corner stone of a Presbyterian Church at Clark's Mills, in the township of Camden East.

On the 24th June, 1881, when the corner stone of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Meaford, was laid by Right Worshipful Brother John Nettleton, District Deputy Grand Master.

On the 30th June, 1881, when I laid the corner stone of St. James' (Episcopal) Church at Carleton Place, in the County of Lanark.

On the 1st July, 1881, when the corner stone of a Canada Methodist Church was laid at Dundela, in the township of Matilda, by Right Worshipful Brother James Stephenson, Past District Deputy Grand Master.

On the evening of the same day when I consecrated the new hall of Pembroke Lodge, 128, Pembroke.

By the Craft our laws have been well observed, and the Officials of Grand Lodge at all times performed their duties with intelligence and alacrity; no trouble of any importance or magnitude has arisen, that has not been promptly met and decided on. I retire from the Throne of the Royal Solomon, having the gratification of knowing that peace and good will extended throughout this Jurisdiction, and feeling that I can hand down to my successor a prosperous order.

May I hope that my official record for the past two years has met with general approbation, and that my short comings may be charitably attributed to the frailty of the man, rather than to want of Masonic zeal.

Brethren, a great and important trust has again developed on us, the representatives of the Ancient Craft, for there never was a time when Masonic influence was more felt than now. May we discharge that trust with diligence and fidelity, and see that the land-marks of the order are preserved, its precepts acted upon, and its professions carried out. Guided in the future by the past, may we not assert that so long as we continue to act according to the tenets of our time honoured order, and to carry out its principles, so long will our institutions prosper and exercise its influence on generations yet to come. Let each and all, during this communication, cultivate that unity which is the cement that unites, and that harmony which is the bond that binds us together, and gentle peace will hover over our deliberations and rest among us.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. James Moffat, seconded by R. W. Bro. R. T. Walkem, and

Resolved.—That the address of the M. W. the Grand Master be referred to the Board of General Purposes, to report thereon.

REPORTS OF THE DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTERS.

It was moved by the R. W. Bro. J. Cascadan, seconded by R. W. Bro. E. Allworth, and

Resolved.—That the reports from the various District Deputy Grand Masters be received, considered as read, and referred to the Board of General Purposes.

ST. CLAIR DISTRICT.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of Canada.

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR AND BRETHREN.—In accordance with the requirements of the Constitution of Grand Lodge, and in the discharge of the duties entrusted to me, I have the honor to submit my report for the year now closing on the condition of Freemasonry in St. Clair District. I have visited all the Lodges in the District, except five, and find them working satisfactorily.

By request of the M. W. the Grand Master, I had the honor to perform, in his name, the ceremony of consecrating the new Hall of Pnyx Lodge, No. 312, on the 28th of October, 1880, and the new Hall at Petrolia, for Petrolia Lodge, No. 194, and Washington Lodge, No. 260, on the first of June, 1881. The brethren of both places are to be congratulated on having provided such commodious and convenient Lodge Rooms. At Petrolia, after the consecrating ceremonies had been performed, I held a Lodge of instruction and was gratified at having a large attendance from the Lodges in that part of the District. The work was ably and correctly exemplified by V. W. Bro. A. Jamison, V. W. Bro. Wm. Milner, assisted by V. W. Bro. J. Sinclair, W. Bro. J. McLing and several other Masters and Brethren.

There have been, I am pleased to say, but four deaths in the

District during the past year. The deceased Brethren were interred with the usual Masonic ceremonies.

I am pleased to report that there has been no complaint referred to me during the year.

The usual dispensations for wearing Masonic regalia have been granted to the Brethren on proper occasions.

The Brethren of Morpeth Lodge, No. 111, having surrendered their warrant, I recommended a petition for a new Lodge, to be called Morpeth Lodge, and the Grand Master duly issued his dispensation. I also recommended the petition for the Huron Lodge to be held at Camlachie, the other, called Parviam Lodge, to be held at Comber, the Florence Lodge to be held at Florence. The Grand Master issued his dispensation for these three Lodges. I was present at the opening of each of the Lodges, and I think there is every prospect of all of them being successful Lodges.

In closing my report I must express my gratitude and sincere thanks to the officers and Brethren of the District, for the universal kindness, attention, and fraternal welcome with which I was received when paying my official visits, and pray that it may please the G. A. O. T. U. long to continue the harmony that prevails among the Brethren of St. Clair District.

All of which is most respectfully submitted.

THOMAS MACNABB,

D. D. G. M. St. Clair District.

Chatham, 11th July, 1881.

LONDON DISTRICT.

To the Most Worshipful, the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of Canada.

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR AND BRETHREN.—I have the honor to submit my report on the condition of Freemasonry in the London District.

There is at present thirty-nine Lodges in the District, thirty-seven warranted and two under dispensation. Most of them I have visited, but owing to the great extent of territory embraced in this District, there are a few I did not reach, which I hope will not be attributed to lack of zeal on my part to perform the duties of the office. Quite a few Lodges have had a second visit owing to settlement of questions that have arisen and had to be disposed of, but those few have not been quite overlooked for all necessary enquiry as to their welfare and progress have been made, and I have much pleasure in stating that the Lodges in this District, with few exceptions, are doing their work skillfully and in strict accordance to ancient usage. The W. M. and officers are full of energy and zeal in the successful working of their Lodges, and I am proud to say that they will compare favorably under all circumstances with any Lodges working under your jurisdiction.

The Grand Master was pleased to grant a dispensation to institute a new Lodge in the village of Elderton to be called Henderson Lodge, which I formally opened, assisted by Brethren from London, Lobo, and surrounding Lodges, manifesting by their presence and the hearty and fraternal feeling displayed on that occasion the deep interest taken by them in extending the privileges of our time-honored institution.

In the month of April I held a Lodge of instruction in the Masonic Hall, London, which I am pleased to say was well attended, and I am led to believe was highly successful. The three degrees were skillfully exemplified, showing that great attention had been observed in acquiring a correct knowledge of the minutest parts of the ceremonies and ritual. The offices were filled by London and Strathroy Brethren, to whom great credit is due for the success attending that meeting of the Brethren.

Although the District is large, and the members numerous, I am pleased to say that comparatively few complaints have been submitted to me for investigation, and all have been amicably settled with but one exception, and my decision in that case I feel confident will be upheld by the Grand Lodge.

Two dispensations have been applied for and granted by me for the Brethren to attend divine service in regalia, one for London and one for St. Thomas, for which the fees were paid.

The death of four members of the Order in this District have reached me, viz :—Bro. Duncan Campbell, of Prince of Wales Lodge, No. 171, Bro. George E. Case, Doric Lodge, No. 289, Lobo ; Bro. John Waugh, of Merrit Lodge, Dorchester St., No. 344, and Bro. Wm. Young of Nilestown Lodge, No. 456, who were all interred with Masonic honors.

I have been successful in breaking up a spurious lodge that has been in existence for some time past in the city of St. Thomas, thereby removing one blot from the heretofore spotless reputation of our Order in Canada, previous to the Ontario faction, which placed a Bar Sinister on our fair escutcheon, which time alone can wipe out. A number of the members of this Lodge have applied for affiliation and healing. A few who stood the test of the ballot and was found worthy, were duly healed by the permission of the Grand Master, and I think the Lodge who accepted them will have no cause to regret their admission to their ranks.

In concluding my report I beg leave to express my thanks for the uniform kindness that was manifested on all occasions by the Brethren of London District to me, not only on my official visits, but at other times, which will long be remembered by me.

All of which is fraternally submitted.

ROBERT MACKAY.

D. D. G. M., London District.

St. Thomas, July 9th, 1881.

WILSON DISTRICT.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of Canada.

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR AND BRETHREN.—In accordance with the Constitution, I beg to submit the following report.

I regret that owing to the Wilson District not owning a regalia the elected D. D. G. M. is placed at the disadvantage of either having to borrow, or furnish one himself, the latter being an expense that I do not think any district should ask or allow its D. D. Grand Master to be put to. As I did not feel inclined to follow in the footsteps of my immediate predecessors, by borrowing the regalia necessary to appear in when officially visiting the Lodges in the District, I refrained from visiting any Lodges until my official year was about half over, when owing to the kindness of the brethren of the Woodstock Lodges, I was furnished with a regalia, the time was too short for me to visit all the Lodges in my District, although, I am happy to say, I have visited the majority of them and found them in a healthy state and working very satisfactorily.

There are at present twenty-seven Lodges in this District, twenty-five warranted Lodges, and one working under dispensation.

At my recommendation, a dispensation has been granted to King Solomon's Lodge, Thamesford, and I am satisfied, from my personal knowledge of the brethren who comprise its officers, that it will soon become a flourishing, well-worked Lodge, and a credit to the District, and I have much pleasure in recommending that a warrant be granted to said Lodge.

An Emergency Meeting of the Grand Lodge was held in the Town of Woodstock, to consecrate the new hall erected for the Brethren of King Solomon and Oxford Lodges, which was attended by a number of distinguished brethren from all parts of Ontario, and all expressed themselves highly delighted with the beautiful rooms, and it gives me the greatest of pleasure to be able to say that the work as performed by the officers of the two Lodges is fully in keeping with the "Work Room."

I am rejoiced at being able to say that no formal complaint of unmasonic conduct has been brought before me, and the large correspondence which I have attended to, to the best of my ability, has been principally constitutional explanations.

I have, during my term of office, installed the officers of several of the Lodges.

In conclusion, I would take this opportunity of thanking the brethren of Wilson District for their kind and fraternal manner towards me during my term of office.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

G. C. EDEN,

D. D. G. M., Wilson District.

Woodstock, July 2nd, 1881.

HURON DISTRICT.

To the Most Worshipful, the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M., of Canada.

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR AND BRETHREN.—In compliance with the requirements of the constitution of Grand Lodge, I now submit a report of my stewardship, as D. D. Grand Master of Huron District for the past twelve months.

I have visited every Lodge in the District, some of them twice, and I have in every case seen portions of the work exemplified, and examined the Lodge books. It is satisfactory to me to be able to report that, with very few exceptions, the work is well done and in accordance with the work authorized by Grand Lodge.

The systems of book-keeping adopted by the several Lodges, is very diverse, and while in most cases they answer the purpose fairly well, it would be a great improvement if some uniform system could be adopted by all.

I have held three Lodges of Instruction ; one at Exeter, in the County of Bruce, where I had the assistance of the R. W., the

Deputy Grand Master ; one at Paisley, in the County of Bruce, where the R. W., the Grand Secretary was present, and one at Stratford, in the county of Perth, where we were honored by the presence of R. W. Bro. Saunders, D. D. G. M., of Toronto. All of these Lodges were fairly well attended, and I think I may claim that the results were beneficial.

I have opened two Lodges under dispensation from the M. W. the Grand Master, viz : at Chesley and at Wiarton in the County of Bruce. Each of these Lodges begins life under very favorable auspices and with a good list of members, and I anticipate success and prosperity for both of them. The one at Chesley will probably make application for a warrant at this communication of Grand Lodge.

I have also to report the re-opening of St. John's Lodge, No. 284, after having held no meeting for over fifteen months. I went to Brussels, where this Lodge is situated, saw the brethren and advised with them, and I feel convinced that the re-opening of the Lodge at that time was, in a great measure, the result of that visit. I have also visited the Lodge since its re-organization, and found the brethren doing lots of work, and doing it well.

I am sorry to have to report that the enemy has been amongst us, and established a spurious lodge at Eden Grove, in the County of Bruce. The brethren who were engaged in the establishment of it have been tried, suspended, and recommended to Grand Lodge for expulsion.

I have had very few complaints or appeals referred to me. The few which I have received have been of a minor character, and easily adjusted.

I have granted four dispensations to enable brethren to appear in public in Masonic clothing.

In conclusion, I tender my sincere thanks to the brethren of the

Huron District for their uniform kindness and courtesy to your representative on all occasions.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

DEWITT H. MARTYN,

D. D. G. M., Huron District.

Kincardine, 6th July, 1881.

WELLINGTON DISTRICT.

To the Most Worshipful, the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M., of Canada.

MOST WORSIHPFUL SIR AND BRETRHEN.—I beg leave to submit my report of the condition of Masonry in Wellington District for the past year.

In opening, I have to express regret that owing to pressing business engagements during the greater part of the year, I have been unable to give as much time to the duty of visiting the Lodges within my jurisdiction, as I could have desired; with one exception, however, I was enabled to answer all special calls, for my attendance at gatherings of the craft.

At all the Lodges I had the pleasure of visiting I found the work as approved by Grand Lodge, carefully exemplified by the different Worshipful Masters; that the admission of material was guarded with reasonable care, and that the Lodges were generally in a prosperous condition.

The subjects of Masonic complaints, I am happy to say, have been few. There has been some correspondence in the matter of an initiation by one Lodge of a candidate residing within the jurisdiction of another. The matter has not yet been brought to a conclusion, and I shall hand over the papers in the case to my successor in office for further action.

Complaints have been made by Irvine and Conestogo Lodges, that members of other Lodges had been presented as visitors at the organization of a clandestine Lodge at Pinkerton, in the County of Bruce. I have advised the aggrieved Lodges to take proceedings in the usual way against the offending brethren.

One or two points relating to Masonic jurisprudence have been referred to me, involving no question of difficulty, and have been satisfactorily settled.

The deaths of three brethren only have been referred to me during my term of office, and all were interred with the appropriate ceremonies of the order.

Dispensations have been issued to permit the brethren of several of the Lodges to appear in Masonic clothing at divine service and at social gatherings. In each case the proceedings, I have been assured, were attended with pleasure and profit.

In resigning the duties of my office, I have to acknowledge the uniform kindness and courtesy extended to me by the craft within this District; to record the universal expressions of loyalty and affection which have been made with reference to the Grand Lodge of Canada, and to express the hope that the harmony and prosperity which have marked the operations of the order within the borders of the district, may continue.

Respectfully submitted,

ALEX. IRVINE,

D. D. G. M., Wellington District.

Harriston, 11th July, 1881.

HAMILTON DISTRICT.

To the Most Worshipful. the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M., of Canada.

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR AND BRETHREN.—I again submit for your consideration my report upon the condition of Masonry within the district.

I have visited personally a large proportion of the Lodges in the district, which, without exception, are all in good working order, and financially in a sound condition.

Of those Lodges which I have not visited this year, having visited all the Lodges officially in the first year of my occupying the office of D. D. G. M., I can also report that from my intimate acquaintance with the brethren now in office, I feel every confidence that the ancient landmarks are being strictly adhered to.

At the last communication of Grand Lodge, the Grand Master, at the request of the brethren of St. Andrew's Lodge, No. 62, was pleased to place that Lodge within the Hamilton District. I took the opportunity of visiting them officially at an early date, when I was pleased to find No. 62 well officered and in good condition.

By the request of the Grand Master, I had the pleasure, on the 15th March, 1881, of performing in his name the ceremony of consecrating and dedicating in the town of Georgetown, the new hall for the use of Credit Lodge, No. 219. It is a fine room and well adapted for the purpose intended, and reflects great credit on the brethren of Georgetown.

Also at the request of the Grand Master I had the honor of laying, in his name, on the 24th day of June, 1881, the cornerstone of St. John's Episcopal Church, Rockwood, according to our ancient ceremonies, when I was the recipient of a very handsome silver trowel, presented by Bro. the Rev. W. J. Pigott, incumbent of the parish.

During the year I have issued a number of dispensations to attend divine service in regalia, a correct return of the same having been sent to the Grand Secretary.

I am pleased to be able to report that the best of feeling continues among the Lodges and brethren of this District.

In conclusion, I would take this opportunity of expressing my thanks to the many brethren who have accompanied me on my visits, and to the many kind friends who I have met during my term of office, for their endeavors to make my visits both pleasant and profitable, and especially to R. W. Bro. R. L. Gunn for performing the duties of District Secretary for the past two years.

All of which is fraternally submitted.

J. M. MEAKINS,

D. D. G. M., Hamilton District.

Hamilton, July 4th, 1881.

NIAGARA DISTRICT.

To the Most Worshipful, the Grand Master, Officers and members of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M., of Canada.

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR AND BRETHREN.—I beg respectfully to submit the following report on Freemasonry in the Niagara District, for the past year.

At the last annual Communication of Grand Lodge in the city of Guelph, one lodge, St. Andrew's, No. 62, Caledonia, in this District, was allowed to withdraw and be attached to the Hamilton District, thereby leaving twenty-three Lodges in the Niagara District.

I have had the honor of visiting, with one exception, all these Lodges, and was much pleased with the able and zealous manner in which the work was performed. The books were well and

neatly kept, and most of the rooms neat and properly furnished, and while congratulating the different Lodges upon the beautiful appearance of their rooms, I desire particularly to congratulate the members of Niagara Lodge, No. 2, on the completion of the rebuilding and furnishing of their really fine Hall, and commend their zealous efforts.

Worshipful Brethren and myself being of opinion that good would result from the holding of a Lodge of Instruction somewhere in the District, I held one on the third and fourth days of February in the Masonic Temple in the city of St. Catharines, and being the first for some years it was quite as successful as I expected, and from expressions of approval I feel satisfied that were one held somewhere in the District in each year, it would be numerously attended.

In jurisprudence there was one complaint of invasion of territory by a Lodge in another District. I forwarded the complaint at once to the Grand Secretary. Other questions were of such a nature as to be easily answered, however. At the time of my visit to Welland Lodge, No. 36, Fonthill, it was moved and carried without dissent (so far as I recollect) that the dues of two members who had been previously suspended, and one of whom was said to be in indigent circumstances, be remitted, and that they be reinstated, but at the next regular meeting exception was taken by a brother who was not at the previous meeting, that the action was not legal, and that the minutes be not confirmed until the motion was struck out. The minutes were, however, confirmed. The brother then appealed to the M. W. Grand Master, and the M. W., the Grand Master was pleased to direct that I should proceed to Fonthill and investigate, and report so that the whole question might be laid before the Board of General Purposes. I did so and report accordingly.

In conclusion I beg very fraternally to thank the brethren throughout the Niagara District for their many acts of kindness—

towards me during the past year, as also for their courteous greeting at the time of my visits to their several Lodges.

All of which is fraternally submitted.

GEORGE WALKER,

D. D. G. M., Niagara District.

Beamsville, 9th July, 1881.

TORONTO DISTRICT.

To the Most Worshipful, the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M., of Canada.

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR AND BRETHREN. — In accordance with the provisions of the Constitution I have the honor to submit for your information the following report on the condition of Freemasonry in the district under my control for the past twelve months.

I have endeavored to discharge to the best of my ability the duties appertaining to the office of District Deputy Grand Master, by visiting the Lodges in my district, inspecting the books and accounts of the same, and holding a Lodge of Instruction, conducting the ceremonials of installation whenever desired to do so, and by giving prompt attention to all communications addressed to me in my official capacity.

During my term of office I have issued several dispensations to wear Masonic clothing in public, all of which have been duly reported to the Grand Secretary for your information.

I am pleased to report that a satisfactory settlement has been reached in the long pending case of McNair vs. Richmond Lodge, and that I know of no unsettled difficulty in my district to be adjudicated upon by my successor in office.

I have the pleasure to report that many of the Lodges in my

district own the buildings in which they meet, and that all are in good financial positions, and doing good work, though I regret that it is not more uniform in character, owing to differences in the ritual used. I would respectfully suggest that these dissimilarities be rectified, either by Grand Lodge issuing an authorized ritual, or what would perhaps be better, by the appointment of Grand Lecturers, who should devote their whole time to instructing the various Lodges in the jurisdiction in the correct way of working, and in explaining the principles, traditions and history of the order.

On the seventeenth and eighteenth days of February last I held a Lodge of Instruction in the Masonic Hall in Toronto. There were nearly two hundred brethren in all present during the two days, including fourteen past and present Grand Lodge officers, twenty-one Worshipful Masters, and forty-four Past Masters. The work was exemplified in sections in each of the three degrees, by V. W. Bros. J. Ross Robertson, T. F. Blackwood and J. B. Nixon, respectively, assisted by the brethren of City Lodges, time being given at the end of each section for answering questions on the ritual and for discussion on the work, which had the effect of bringing out many of the differences to which I have already alluded, and of showing the necessity of some means being taken to establish uniformity.

I regret to say that I felt it my duty to take up the warrant of Corinthian Lodge, No. 51, Grahamsville, and reported my action in the matter to the Grand Secretary, at the same time transmitting him the various papers, etc. Had this been done at an earlier period, I feel it would have been of benefit to the craft in general.

There is a matter of courtesy on the part of our brethren, composing the Webber Quartette Club, of Boston, U. S., which I have great pleasure in reporting to Grand Lodge. On the 18th of August, 1880, whilst the Club were on a visit to this City, St. John's Lodge, No. 75, had the melancholy duty of burying, with Masonic honors, their late Brother William Thornton. The

Webber Club in the most fraternal manner volunteered their services on the occasion, and rendered at the grave several appropriate pieces of music; thus greatly adding to the effect of our solemn and impressive funeral service. Such an act of Masonic courtesy is well deserving of notice. The names of the brethren composing the Club are recorded in the hearts of the members of St. John's Lodge, and I have great pleasure in making them known to Grand Lodge; they are as follows:

Bro. E. T. Webber, Mount Hermon Lodge, Meaford; Bro. W. L. Vennel, Mount Hermon Lodge, Meaford; Bro. W. R. Bateman, Belmont Lodge, Belmont; Bro. G. R. Titus, John Abbott Lodge, Somerville, all under the jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts; and Bro. J. B. Pond of Waverly Lodge, No. 51, Wisconsin, who was in charge of the Club.

I have to report that several of the Toronto Lodges have added vocal music in the performance of our ceremonies, Alpha (our youngest) Lodge being the pioneer in the movement. The effect is to me most pleasing, and I think it a beautiful addition to our ritual. Sharon Lodge, No. 97, has also shown musical proclivities, by forming amongst its members an instrumental band, and on the occasion of my official visit honored myself and other visitors with a serenade. Such a band could be made a source of profit as well as pleasure to the Lodge.

I regret that there have been a very large number of suspensions in my district for non-payment of dues, and that many of the brethren are still in arrears. I feel that the time has come when Grand Lodge should consider the whole question of suspension for this cause, and would respectfully suggest that the difficulty might be overcome, by adding to the initiation fee a sufficient sum, which, being handed to the Grand Secretary and invested by him, would yield in time such interest as would enable the Lodges to do away with the collection of yearly dues from their Members.

"From labor we go to refreshment."

One of the most refreshing and pleasing incidents of my term of office was the visit of the Most Worshipful Grand Master to the Toronto District. On the 1st of June last St. Andrew's Lodge, No. 16, had the honor of receiving as Grand Master Mason of Canada, that distinguished brother who now presides over us, in that Lodge where he first saw Masonic light nearly forty years since, and of proving to him by actual work that his Mother Lodge yet retained skilled craftsmen. On the following day the M. W. Grand Master consecrated and dedicated to Freemasonry Alpha Lodge, No. 384, Parkdale, and afterwards witnessed the initiation of a candidate, with the addition to the ceremony of the musical service I have before alluded to. In the evening the Craft in my district had the honor of receiving at the Horticultural Gardens, Toronto, the Most Worshipful Grand Master and Officers of the Grand Lodge. The attendance (not only of the brethren but of ladies) was the largest ever known at any Masonic ceremonial in Canada, and I shall ever remember the event as the most pleasing in my Masonic career.

In conclusion, I deem it a duty as well as a pleasure, to place on record my appreciation of the invariable kindness, sympathy, and co-operation which I have experienced at the hands of the craft in my district, they having cheerfully aided me in carrying on my duties during my year of office, and I take this opportunity of tendering to them my heartfelt thanks. This assistance has made the discharge of my duties a pleasure, and will be ever remembered by me with gratitude.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

BERNARD SAUNDERS,

D. D. G. M., Toronto District.

Toronto, 11th July, 1881.

GEORGIAN DISTRICT.

To the Most Worshipful Grand Master. Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of Canada.

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR AND BRETHREN.—I beg respectfully to submit my second annual report of the condition of Masonry in the Georgian District for the past Masonic year.

I have visited nearly all the Lodges in the District, and in each case have had the work exemplified in the different degrees, and I am glad to report that in nearly every case it was well and creditably done, and that all the Lodges are governed by able and zealous officers.

Peace and harmony have generally prevailed. Only one serious complaint has been brought before me for adjudication, and I am glad to report that the differences have been satisfactorily adjusted, and I hope the brethren are now working together in harmony.

One application for dispensation to open a new Lodge at Fort Edmonton, N. W. T., was forwarded to me for recommendation to the Grand Master, but I refused in consequence of the distance being so great from this Grand Lodge that we could have no practical influence over it.

On the 8th of February last, I attended a special communication of Grand Lodge, held at the town of Barrie, and had the honor of assisting the R. Worshipful Deputy Grand Master Bro. Moffat in dedicating and consecrating a new hall. I have to congratulate the brethren of Corinthian Lodge, No. 96, Barrie, on their new Lodge room which is both handsome and commodious. After the dedication, a social conversazione was held, which was very largely attended, and a very enjoyable evening was spent.

In May last I summoned all the Lodges in the District to meet the Grand Master at a General Lodge of Instruction, at Barrie, on May 31st, and the result was highly gratifying.

All the Lodges in the District with the exception of eight were represented. Very Worshipful Brother Huber and officers of Muskoka Lodge, Bracebridge, worked the first degree ; W. Bro. James Ward, W. M., and officers of Corinthian Lodge, Barrie, worked the second degree, and V. Worshipful Bro. R. King, and officers of Minerva Lodge, Victoria, worked the third degree. The work was well and ably done by all the brethren, and it gives me great pleasure to add, that the Grand Master was pleased to compliment them on the very correct and efficient manner in which the different degrees had been exemplified.

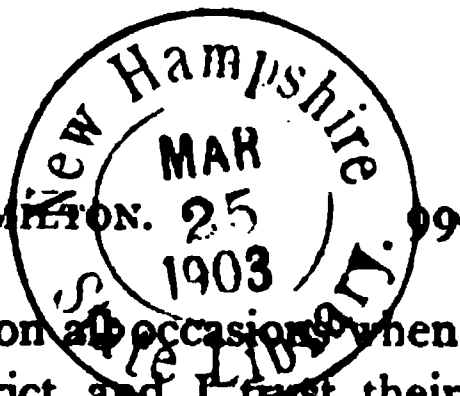
Numerous questions were asked on ritual and jurisprudence, which were ably and satisfactorily answered by R. W. Bros. Spry and Robertson, to whom I beg to tender my hearty thanks for their cordial co-operation and assistance. The Most Worshipful Grand Master and visiting brethren were afterwards entertained at a banquet at the Queen's Hotel, given in honor of the occasion by the Corinthian Lodge, and it is needless to add that the greatest harmony and good feeling prevailed throughout the whole proceedings.

On the next day I had the honor of accompanying the Grand Master to Toronto, and was present at his visit to St. Andrew's Lodge, and also at the consecration and dedication of Alpha Lodge, Parkdale, and I have to express my thanks to D. D. G. M. Bro. Saunders, and Brethren of Toronto District, for the very fraternal greeting accorded me as the representative of this district.

On the 24th of June (St. John's Day), by command of the Grand Master, I had the honor to represent him and lay the foundation stone of a new M. E. Church in the town of Meaford. There was a very large gathering of the brethren from Owen Sound, Clarksburg and Collingwood Lodges. I was ably assisted in the ceremony by Right Worshipful Bro. Robertson and the brethren of the Lodges present.

In retiring from the office which I have had the honor to hold for the last two years, I desire to thank the brethren for the very

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courteous and warm reception accorded me on all occasions when I have visited Lodges throughout the district, and I trust their choice of a successor may result in the election of one who will be able to devote more time and fill the office more satisfactorily than it has been in my power to do.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JNO. NETTLETON,

D. D. G. M., Georgian District.

Collingwood, 9th July, 1881.

ONTARIO DISTRICT.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of Canada.

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR AND BRETHREN.—If it be true that “happy are the people who have no annals,” then the Ontario District is a fortunate case, for the past year has been entirely destitute of any occurrence of great importance.

I have to report that increasing prosperity prevails among the various Lodges within this jurisdiction as evidenced by the increasing “work” spread upon the notices of the various meetings.

I have received no complaints whatever during the past year, and have had but few questions on jurisprudence or procedure to answer, and these of such a nature as not to call here for any remark.

I have not been able to visit as many of the Lodges as I could have wished. It is my pleasure to state, that, as usual, I have been received in those I did visit with fraternal courtesy and kindness.

I would again express the hope that there should be a re-arrangement or division of this District. Numerically Toronto

exceeds it, but nearly one-third of the Lodges are in Toronto or its suburbs. It is almost impossible that sufficient justice can ~~be~~ done in exercising Masonic supervision over so many Lodges situated as they are within this District.

I have to complain that some of the Lodges have not sent me any notice of their meetings, as required by the constitution, and again that in many cases I received notices only a day or two before the time fixed. I would suggest the Secretaries be recommended to send earlier notice to our D. D. G. M. than to their own members.

It was my intention to have held a Lodge of Instruction in Peterboro' some time during the present spring. Since the completion of the Grand Junction Railway it is a point easily accessible from all parts of the District. I regret to say circumstances over which I had no control prevented me from carrying out my intention.

I had the melancholy satisfaction of attending the funeral of our late Grand Master, William Henry Weller. An intimate personal friendship, of many years standing, enables me to speak of his sterling good qualities as a man and a Mason. His loss indeed is a great one, both to the craft and to his many personal friends.

Negotiations have been pending for some time, looking towards the amalgamation of the two Lodges meeting at the village of Colborne. I have had some correspondence with the brethren of both Lodges as to the best means of carrying this out. I deem it conducive to our best interests of Masonry that such amalgamation should take place, but I have heard nothing lately on the subject.

There have been a good many alterations in the By-laws of private Lodges during the past year, chiefly in one direction of reduction of dues. These have been uniformly approved of by the M. W., the Grand Master.

I do not think the finances of the Lodges will suffer, while the number of members suspended for non-payment of dues will be likely to be diminished, and the loss in one way made up by the gain in another.

I have granted dispensations during the past year to the following Lodges, and for the purposes hereunder stated ;—

Lorne Lodge, 375, Omemee ; to install a serving Brother without fee.

Faithful Brethren, Lindsay ; to attend a Masonic Concert.

Lorne Lodge, Omemee ; to attend Divine Service.

Brock Lodge, Cannington ; to hold a public entertainment and reception.

Faithful Brethren Lodge, Lindsay, to attend Divine Service.

Brock Lodge, Cannington ; to attend Divine Service.

It is worthy of note that while I have had during the past two years no applications for dispensations for balls or other similar festivities, the majority of applications are for permission to attend Divine Service.

In surrendering my trust to Grand Lodge, I desire again to express my thanks to the members of the district for their many acts of personal kindness, and for their forbearance towards my shortcomings. To many members of the Grand Lodge I am particularly indebted for advice and assistance.

All of which is fraternally submitted.

G. H. F. DARTNELL,

D. D. G. M., Ontario District.

Whitby, 9th July, 1881.

ST. LAWRENCE DISTRICT.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of Canada.

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR AND BRETHREN.—The past year *has*, in St. Lawrence District, been marked by even and steady progress in masonry. No remarkable events have occurred amongst us, nor have I been called to exercise the powers entrusted to me for any but the most pleasant purposes.

The centre of our District has been occupied by a new Lodge, whose formation I had much pleasure in advocating, not only because it marked a step in our progress, but because it established a place of meeting for the brethren in a very important but hitherto unoccupied District. May the stream which flows from Crystal Fountain Lodge be as pure, bright and refreshing as the source from which it springs.

In accordance with what I conceived to be the most useful course which I could adopt, I held in the city of Kingston, in the early part of the present year, a Lodge of Instruction, to which I invited all the brethren within my district. In July of last year I paid a visit to every lodge which could receive me, and I was convinced both from personal observation and from what I heard from the brethren that a Lodge of Instruction would effect much more real good than an hurried visit to each particular Lodge.

The Lodge which I formed was devoted to the exemplification of the work of the three degrees, and I am glad to think that its results in harmonizing the work of the Lodges were of the most beneficial character. At the same time I must express my regret that only a limited number of the Masters of Lodges found it convenient to attend. I would strongly recommend that the holding of Lodges of Instruction be enjoined on the District Deputy Grand Masters as a positive duty. They are the best means of conveying instruction, and of securing the exclusion of spurious work which brethren in authority are sometimes in the habit of consulting.

Besides holding this Lodge I visited many of the Lodges, and performed the ceremony of installation on several occasions.

It is a sincere pleasure to me to be able to state that no differences have arisen amongst the Lodges under my jurisdiction, which I have been unable to settle by a few temperate words. Differences when they do exist are generally caused by some one or two brethren in a Lodge who have not learned the Masonic lesson of obedience and the duty of subordinating their pride and ambition to the principles of their order. I have endeavoured to discourage captiousness and petty complaints, but, in truth, I have found little occasion for giving advice during my term of office.

I leave the affairs of my district in the most satisfactory condition. I have endeavored to leave nothing undone which I ought to have done, and if I have not given all that time and attention to my duties which I could have desired, I trust that the brethren will remember that I am in the midst of active life, with many calls upon my time, and many engagements to fulfill.

Before I close I must express my gratitude at having been called upon to grant several dispensations for attendance of Lodges at Divine Service, clothed in regalia. The practice of so attending will do much to dispel false and erroneous notions prevailing in the outside world respecting Freemasonry.

Through you, Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren, I bid my constituents farewell, and I trust that they will cultivate the duty of relying implicitly on the Great Architect of the Universe, to whose protection and guidance I earnestly and fraternally commit them.

I am, most Worshipful Sir and Brethren, your obedient servant,

RICHARD T. WALKEM,

D. D. G. M., St. Lawrence District

Kingston, 11th, July, 1881.

OTTAWA DISTRICT.

To the Most Worshipful Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of Canada.

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR AND BRETHREN.—I beg to submit the following report on the state of Masonry in the Ottawa District. The Lodges generally are working well, and the little differences that existed in one of the Lodges, at the commencement of my term of office, have all been satisfactorily adjusted.

I have not been able to visit all of the twenty-two Lodges during the year, but some of the country Lodges I have visited two or three times, and in one case four times.

Our Brethren of Pembroke Lodge met with a great loss by fire on the night of the 24th of December, when all their beautiful furniture, regalia, warrant, etc., were destroyed. The brethren set to work with a will and leased another hall, and have furnished it in a style worthy of the Order. It would be well for Masonry if every Lodge would manifest the same spirit. I consider the Pembroke Lodge one of the best in the District. I had the honor of taking the new warrant to Pembroke, and installing the officer for the ensuing year, in which I was ably assisted by Right Worshipful Bro. White, and the Past Masters of the Lodge.

I have granted several dispensations during the year for Brethren to appear in regalia to attend Divine Service, and also for the Ottawa Brethren, for a moonlight excursion down the river, in aid of the burial plot fund.

I have been asked by several Masters during the year, to give them a Ritual, but on application to the Grand Secretary was told there were no more to be given.

I cannot see how young Masters can be expected to work uniformly without such aid. I think good would result if a Ritual were furnished, said Ritual to be considered the property of the Lodge and not of the Master, except during his term of office.

On the 19th of June, the St. John's Lodge, No. 63, Carleton Place, applied for a dispensation to appear in regalia, on the occasion of the laying of the foundation stone of St. James' Church, at which ceremony our Most Worshipful the Grand Master officiated assisted by about 250 brethren of the several Lodges of the district.

Great praise is due to the ladies of Carleton Place, for the kind manner in which they entertained the brethren after the ceremony was performed.

Four brethren have been removed by death during the year, viz : R. W. Bro. Dr. Mostyn, of Mississippi Lodge, Bro. Stanley of Doric Lodge, Ottawa ; Bro. Nicholson of Fidelity Lodge, Ottawa ; and Wor. Bro. John Orr of Builder's Lodge, Ottawa, all of whom were buried with Masonic honors.

Before closing my report, I must heartily thank the brethren for the honor they conferred on me in electing me D. D. G. M., and also for the uniform kindness shown me when visiting their Lodges.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

SAMUEL ROGERS.

D. D. G. M. Ottawa District.

Ottawa, 8th July, 1881.

REPORT OF THE BOARD ON WARRANTS.

R. W. Bro. Jas. Moffat, President of the Board of General Purposes, presented and read the following

REPORT :

The Board of General Purposes beg to report that they have examined the books of the following Lodges at present working under dispensation, and having made due enquiry into the circumstances

stated in their applications, have much pleasure in recommending that Warrants be granted to the following, viz :—

1. McColl	Lodge.....	West Lorne.
2. Lansdown	"	Lansdown.
3. Henderson	"	Ilderton.
4. Crystal Fountain	"	North Augusta.
5. Florence	"	Florence.
6. Howard	"	Ridgetown.
7. Huron	"	Camlachie.
8. Forest	"	Chesley.
9. King Solomon	"	Thamesford.
10. Parvaim	"	Comber.

With reference to the application of Cedar Lodge at Wiarton, the board recommend that the Lodge be continued under dispensation for another year.

The Board recommend that the Grand Secretary be instructed in returning the books of the various Lodges, to call their attention to the marginal notes attached to their respective minute books and also to the printed form of minutes annexed to the book of Constitution.

The Board have to congratulate, Crystal Fountain and Henderson Lodges, upon the neat manner in which their minutes have been kept.

Fraternally submitted

JAS. MOFFAT.

President of the Board

It was moved by R. W. Bro. Jas. Moffat, seconded by R. W. Bro. Donald Ross, and

Resolved,—That the report of the Board on Warrants be received and adopted.

REPORT OF THE BOARD ON AUDIT AND FINANCE.

R. W. Br. James Moffat, on behalf of the Board, presented and read the following.

REPORT :

The Board, through the Committee on Finance, have audited the books of the Grand Secretary and Grand Treasurer, and certify to their correctness.

All monies received by the Grand Secretary have been paid over to the Grand Treasurer, and the receipt acknowledged by that officer.

Vouchers have been produced for all payments made by the Grand Treasurer, as authorized by Grand Lodge.

The Receipts and Expenditure for the period from 1st January, 1880, to 31st May, 1881, have been as follows ;

RECEIPTS.

Certificates	\$ 3,217 00
Dues	11,591 62
Fees	1,755 50
Dispensations.....	297 00
Warrants	90 00
Constitutions.....	500 19
Past Master's Certificates.....	46 00
Reprint of Proceedings and Sundries.....	14 87
Interest on General Fund.....	3,502 27
Interest on Asylum Fund.....	485 40
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	\$21,499 85
Cash in Bank 1st January, 1880.....	5,372 14
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	\$26,871 99

EXPENDITURES.

General Expenses :

Grand Secretaries Salary for 15 months.....	\$2,000 00
Assistant " " " "	1,000 00
Rent of Grand Secretary's Office	218 75

Fuel and Light.....	\$ 71 59
Office Cleaning.....	52 00
Telegrams received and sent.....	18 62
Repairs	6 61
Express and Custom Charges.....	6 84
Travelling Expenses.....	11 55
Postages.....	222 86

\$390 07

Less due Grand Secretary..... 1 53

388 54

Balance of Incidentals due Grand Secretary, 31st Dec., 1879, 31 28

Expenses of Board of General Purposes..... 353 70

Allowance to Grand Master, 18 months..... 750 00

Stationery 19 60 |

Insurance on Regalia and Furniture..... 14 00

Printing Proceedings, 1879..... 269 00

“ “ 1880..... 275 00

“ Constitutions 158 50 |

“ Certificates..... 248 98

“ General 163 90 |

Engrossing Warrants 9 25 |

Presentation to M. W. Bro. J. K. Kerr..... 216 54

“ “ “ W. H. Weller..... 220 00

Benevolent Committee, Postage..... 30 00

Stove for Office..... 11 80

Expenses Meeting of Grand Lodge in Guelph..... 34 50

Benevolence :

Orders on Benevolent Fund..... \$11,077 50

Mrs. Wilson, six quarters..... 450 00

Miss Wilson, “ “ 450 00

Mrs. Harris, “ “ 431 25

12,408 75

\$18,822 00

Shawenegan Lodge, Three Rivers, on account of amount sub-
scribed Asylum Fund..... 48 00

Cash in Bank, 31st May, 1881..... 3,001 90

\$26,871 99

The Funds of Grand Lodge on the 31st May, 1881, were
invested as follows :

Dominion Stock, bearing 5 per cent. interest.....	\$55,400 00
Cash, Canadian Bank of Commerce.....	8,001 90
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	\$63,401 90

Which represent the balances at the credit of the following accounts :

General Fund.....	\$26,745 51
Asylum Fund, balance 31st December, 1879.....	\$8,778 15
Add Interest collected.....	485 40
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	\$9,263 55
Deduct paid Shawenegan Lodge, Three Rivers.....	48 00
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	9,215 55
Benevolent Fund. Investment Account.....	25,952 54
“ “ General “	1,488 30
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	\$63,401 90

From the above statement it will be observed that the funds of Grand Lodge have increased since the 31st of Dec., 1879, \$2,629.76.

The Board have examined the following accounts, and finding them correct, recommend them for payment :

Copp, Clark & Co., Certificates and Warrants.....	\$470 51
The “ Craftsman,” altering P. M’s. Certificates.....	15 00
Ennis & Stirton, sundry Printing.....	148 85
Buntin, Gillies & Co., Stationery.....	29 65
R. Haigh, Bookbinding, &c.....	23 85
Times Printing Company, for Constitutions.....	308 50
Wm. Bruce, Engrossing Warrants.....	6 00
Dominion Insurance Co., Insurance.....	14 00
Advance to Grand Secretary for incidentals.....	200 00

Your board have considered the application of Hiram Lodge, No 342, Wolfe Island, praying Grand Lodge to accept a composition of debt, and cannot recommend that the prayer of that Lodge be granted. The board are pleased to learn that Lodges which were in a worse financial position than this Lodge, and who had been unsuccessful applicants for assistance, have, by continuous

effort on the part of their officers, been enabled to pay off their indebtedness, and are now in a flourishing condition.

St. John's Lodge No. 284, Brussels, asks for assistance, their Lodge room and furniture having been destroyed by fire. During the session of 1879, this fire was reported to Grand Lodge, and assistance was then asked and granted, the dues of that Lodge to date having been remitted. Although Grand Lodge has in the past assisted Lodges meeting with loss, it has repeatedly of late urged upon Masters the necessity of securing their Lodges against loss by fire, by seeing that the furniture, &c., was properly covered by insurance. The Grand Secretary issued a circular to Lodges to that effect, and every summons to attend the Annual Communication of Grand Lodge since issued, has contained a clause in reference to insurance. After the repeated warnings given, Lodges neglecting to insure, and meeting with loss, need not expect assistance from Grand Lodge.

As regards the petition of Merrickville Lodge No. 55, Merrickville, claiming a remission of dues, on the ground that they had for years past been paying more than the proper amount to Grand Lodge, the board cannot recommend that any allowance be made, as the sums paid were the amounts which that Lodge owed, as shown by the returns made by the proper officers, and certified to as correct. The board cannot recommend the re-opening of accounts between Lodges and the Grand Lodge, years after returns have been made.

The letter of R. W. Bro. Martyn, explaining the reason why the benevolent orders paid through his Lodge were not endorsed, was considered. While the board are satisfied with the explanation, they deem it advisable that the resolution of Grand Lodge as to endorsements should be strictly carried out.

With respect to Shawenegan Lodge No. 49, on the Grand Registry of Quebec, asking that they be paid interest on the amount which they had subscribed to the Asylum Fund, the board are of opinion that the resolution of Grand Lodge passed in 1877

is intended to cover interest as well as principal. The principal sum subscribed by that Lodge having been already refunded them, the Board recommend that interest be computed and placed to the credit of that Lodge.

A petition has been received from the Ottawa Masonic Hall Committee, praying that the assets of Corinthian Lodge, No. 59, be handed over to them, on account of that Committee having been forced to liquidate some of the debts of said Corinthian Lodge. The Board recommend that the consideration of the petition be deferred until the assets of this Lodge, whose Warrant has been surrendered, are in the possession of Grand Lodge.

At the last session of Grand Lodge, the Grand Secretary was instructed to notify all Lodges in arrears for two years, that unless returns were made and fees paid, the Grand Lodge would, at its next Annual Communication, suspend the Warrant of such Lodges. A large proportion of said Lodges having responded and paid up their indebtedness, and the Grand Secretary being in communication with others, the Board are of opinion that another and final opportunity should be given those still in arrears, and recommend that their Warrants be not now cancelled, and that they be notified that unless the resolution already referred to be complied with before the next Communication of Grand Lodge, their Warrants will then be cancelled.

The Board having considered the advisability of securing the presence of the Grand Treasurer at meetings of the Board, where his accounts come up for audit, recommend that his expenses attending said meeting, be defrayed by Grand Lodge.

The Board have received tenders for printing, according to a form prepared, and recommend that the tender of G. C. Patterson, Toronto, be accepted, he being the lowest ; that security for the proper fulfillment of the contract be taken, in the shape of a bond for \$1000, and that Grand Lodge, reserve the right to cancel the

agreement at any time that the work shall be considered unsatisfactory by the Grand Master.

Fraternally submitted.

JAS. MOFFAT.

President of the Board.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. James Moffat, seconded by R. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, and

Resolved,—That the report of the Board of General Purposes on Audit and Finance be received and adopted.

REPORT OF THE BOARD ON BENEVOLENCE.

R. W. Bro. James Moffat, on behalf of the Board, presented and read the following

REPORT :

The Board have had under consideration the several applications for relief, and, after due consideration, recommend that the following appropriations be paid during the ensuing year from the funds of Benevolence, in two half-yearly payments, namely :—

No.	To Whom Granted.	Amount.	Through Whom Payable.
1	Toronto Board of Relief	\$300	Sec'y-Treas. Toronto Board.
2	Hamilton “	200	“ Hamilton “
3	London “	180	“ London “
4	Ottawa “	160	“ Ottawa “
5	Kingston “	60	“ Kingston “
6	Peterboro' “	50	“ Peterboro' “
7	Windsor “	50	“ Windsor “
8	Chatham “	30	“ Chatham “
9	Guelph “	30	“ Guelph “
10	St. Thomas “	30	“ St. Thomas “
11	Stratford “	30	“ Stratford “
12	Niagara “	30	“ Niagara “
13	Goderich “	20	“ Goderich “

No.	To Whom Granted.	Amount.	Through Whom Payable.
14	Strathroy Board of Relief	\$20	Secty.-Treas. Strathroy Board.
15	Galt " "	20	Galt "
16	Widow of John K.....	30	Toronto "
17	" Stephen K.....	20	" "
18	" Amos G.....	30	" "
19	" R. S. D.....	30	" "
20	" W. J.....	40	" "
21	" John J.....	30	" "
22	" F. N.....	40	" "
23	" John W. C.....	40	" "
24	" John A.....	40	" "
25	" Joseph F.....	30	" "
26	" Alex. F.....	20	" "
27	" John P.....	40	" "
28	" Wm. C.....	40	" "
29	" John McK.....	40	" "
30	" Wm. D.....	40	" "
31	" Wm. W.....	30	" "
32	" A. M. S.....	30	" "
33	Brother A. T. H.....	50	" "
34	Widow of Arthur C.....	40	Hamilton "
35	" Geo. S.....	40	" "
36	" Peter P.....	30	" "
37	" Wm. W. P.....	40	" "
38	" Ed. J. A.....	30	" "
39	" Geo. S.....	30	" "
40	" Hugh M.....	40	" "
41	" T. B. H.....	40	" "
42	" O. S.....	30	" "
43	" Jas. H. W.....	30	" "
44	" Thos. K.....	40	" "
45	" J. N. F.....	20	" "
46	" W. W. R.....	40	" "
47	" Peter S.....	30	" "
48	" Wm. L....	30	" "
49	Wife of C. B.....	50	" "
50	Widow of Thos. McC.....	20	" "
51	" Wm. A. H.....	20	" "
52	" Thos. G. S.....	20	" "
53	" John W. H.....	30	" "

No.	To Whom Granted.	Amount.	Through Whom Payable.		
54	Widow of W. J. S. K....	20	Secty.-Treas.	Hamilton Board	
55	" Jaa. S. L.....	40	"	"	"
56	" Robt. B.....	30	"	"	"
57	" John McK.....	40	"	"	"
58	Brother Chas. W. S.....	50	"	"	"
59	Widow of Thos. G. W....	30	"	London	"
60	" John McD.....	40	"	"	"
61	" Jacob Le C....	20	"	"	"
62	" Ed. L.....	30	"	"	"
63	" Alex. McL.....	20	"	"	"
64	" Thos. L.....	40	"	"	"
65	" C. B.....	40	"	"	"
66	" Lewis H.....	30	"	"	"
67	" Ed. W. G.....	20	"	"	"
68	" David M.....	20	"	"	"
69	" Geo. H.....	20	"	"	"
70	" Alfred G.....	40	"	"	"
71	" Geo. H. C.....	20	"	"	"
72	Brother Wm. G.....	40	"	"	"
73	Orphans of Richard C....	40	"	"	"
74	" Richard B....	40	"	"	"
75	Widow of M. J. M.....	20	"	Ottawa	"
76	" Wm. H. F.....	30	"	"	"
77	" Thos. S.....	40	"	"	"
78	" Jos. S.....	40	"	"	"
79	" John H.....	40	"	"	"
80	" John M.....	30	"	"	"
81	" John O.....	40	"	"	"
82	Brother James T.....	40	"	"	"
83	Widow of Thos. H.....	30	"	Kingston	"
84	" B. C. D.....	40	"	"	"
85	" John M. H....	40	"	"	"
86	" R. C. B.....	40	"	"	"
87	" Chas. P. W....	40	"	"	"
88	" David L.....	40	"	"	"
89	" George A.....	20	"	"	"
90	" Wm. R.....	30	"	"	"
91	" Jos. B. T.....	30	"	"	"
92	" Alex. D. McD..	30	"	"	"
93	" John K. O.....	30	"	"	"

No.	To Whom Granted.	Amount.	Through Whom Payable.
94	Brother S. B.	50	Secty.-Treas. Kingston Board.
95	" John K. O.	40	" " "
96	Widow of Wm. McG.	40	" Peterboro' "
97	" John H.	30	" " "
98	" F. W. R.	40	" " "
99	" Walter B.	30	" " "
100	" Thos. M.	40	" " "
101	" Ed. T.	40	" " "
102	Brother Jos. N.	50	" " "
103	Widow of John P. McP...	30	" Chatham "
104	" Robt. L.	30	" " "
105	Brother Geo. F. P.	30	" St. Thomas "
106	Widow of Saml. J.	30	" Stratford "
107	" Edward C.	40	" Goderich "
108	" Henry R.	30	" " "
109	" Wm. L.	40	" Strathroy "
110	" Robt. W. M.	20	" " "
111	" J. C. S.	40	" " "
112	" James S.	30	" " "
113	" Charles J. E.	30	" Galt "
114	" John T.	20	" Niagara "
115	" Rich. H.	30	" " "
116	Brother Saml. C.	50	" " "
117	Widow of James F.	30	W. M. Sussex Lodge, 5
118	" John W.	30	" " "
119	" David D. P.	40	" Union Lodge, 9
120	Daughter of Theo. N.	30	" " "
121	Widow of Wm. D. G. H. ..	40	" Norfolk Lodge, 10
122	" Alex. D.	30	" " "
123	" J. N.	40	" True Britons Lodge, 14
124	" Chas. G.	40	" " "
125	" Wm. S.	30	" Prince Edward Lodge, 18
126	" Wm. C.	40	" " "
127	" Jas. J. C.	30	" " "
128	Brother Wm. P.	50	" Richmond Lodge, 23
129	Widow of Alex. A.	40	" Ontario Lodge, 26
130	" Jas. McG.	30	" " "
131	" Eli H.	50	" Mount Zion Lodge, 28
132	Brother John R.	30	" United Lodge, 29
133	Widow of Thos. W. C.	30	" Composite Lodge, 30

No.	To Whom Payable.	Amount.	Through Whom Payable
134	Widow of John C.	20	W. M. Composite Lodge,
135	Wife of Richard F.	20	" "
136	Widow of Henry R. R. ...	30	" Jerusalem Lodge,
137	" Jos. M.	20	" "
138	" Donald McC. ...	30	" Amity Lodge, 32
139	" James L.	40	" "
140	" Wm. J.	30	" "
141	" Saml. B.	40	" "
142	Wife of M. J. S.	20	" Thistle Lodge, 34
143	Widow of R. C. M.	40	" King Solomon Lod
144	Brother Job T.	50	" Brant Lodge, 45
145	Widow of F. C. D.	20	" Madoc Lodge, 48
146	Brother Jos. G.	50	" Vaughan Lodge, 5
147	Widow of Wm. P.	30	" Oxford Lodge, 76
148	Brother OE. A. H. F. ...	30	" "
149	Widow of Thos. H. C. ...	20.	" Faithful Brethr'n I
150	" G. H. K.	20	" "
151	Brother Daniel G.	50	" Albion Lodge, 80
152	Widow of John B.	30	" "
153	Orphans of Wm. T.	20	" "
154	Widow of D. McL.	30	" St. John's Lodge,
155	" Rich. H.	40	" Manito Lodge, 90
156	" Alex. N. B.	20	" Colborne Lodge, 9
157	" Wm. R.	30	" "
158	Brother L. T.	50	" "
159	Orphans of Tim G. F. ...	30	" "
160	Widow of John D.	20	" Northern Light L
161	Brother Saml. A. D.	50	" "
162	" John M.	40	" "
163	Orphans of John K.	40	" Corinthian Lodge,
164	Widow of Wm. Hill.	30	" Sharon Lodge, 97
165	" Jas. W. A.	20	" "
166	" Robt. T.	20	" "
167	Brother Jacob R.	50	" Tuscan Lodge, 99
168	Widow of J. F. Q.	30	" Valley Lodge, 100
169	" Wm. McT.	30	" Maple Leaf Lodge,
170	Brother Wm. F.	40	" "
171	Widow of Stephen S.	30	" St. John's Lodge,
172	" Thomas P.	30	" Burford Lodge, 10
173	" James B. S.	30	" "

No.	To Whom Granted.	Amount.	Through Whom Payable.
174	Brother Philander M....	30	" Albion Lodge, 109
175	" Rich. P.....	30	" "
176	Widow of John P.....	30	" Central Lodge, 110
177	" Wm. A.....	30	" Wilson Lodge, 113
178	" Wm. S. P.....	20	" "
179	" John W. C.....	20	" "
180	" Wm. P.....	20	" "
181	" Thos. A.....	30	" Maple Leaf Lodge, 119
182	" Wm. P.....	20	" Doric Lodge, 121
183	" Thos. R.....	30	" "
184	" Alex. McD....	20	" Renfrew Lodge, 122
185	Orphans of Chas. H.....	30	" "
186	Widow of W. O'C.....	40	" Belleville Lodge, 123
187	" Arch. D.....	40	" "
188	" John R.....	30	" Golden Rule Lodge, 126
189	" Hugh O'N.....	30	" "
190	" Simeon R.....	20	" Rising Sun Lodge, 129
191	Brother P. H.....	50	" Malahide Lodge, 140
192	Widow of J. D. R.....	30	" Prince of Wales Lodge, 146
193	Daughter of John R. S...	40	" "
194	Widow of Richard B.....	30	" Irving Lodge, 154
195	Brother E. J. H.....	30	" Simpson Lodge, 151
196	" T. A. O.....	40	" "
197	Widow of Hugh R.....	20	" Merritt Lodge, 168
198	" Wm. C.....	30	" Prince of Wales Lodge, 171
199	Brother D. D.....	40	" "
200	Widow of Thos. A. DeW...	30	" Walsingham Lodge, 174
201	" Chas. R.....	40	" "
202	" Chester B.....	40	" Plattsville Lodge, 178
203	Brother George M.....	40	" Bothwell Lodge, 179
204	Widow of David R.....	20	" Filius Viduæ Lodge, 189
205	Brother John B. G.....	40	" "
206	Widow of Sam. W.....	30	" White Oak Lodge, 198
207	" C. S. H.....	30	" St. Alban's Lodge, 200
208	" John C. R.....	40	" Lake Lodge, 215
209	" John T.....	30	" Harris Lodge, 216
210	" Alex. McN....	30	" "
211	" Sol. P.....	40	" Credit Lodge, 219
212	" Jasper E.....	30	" Marmora Lodge, 222
213	" B. J. P.....	40	" Prince Arthur Lodge, 228

No.	To Whom Granted.	Amount.	Through Whom Payable.
214	" A. B. S.....	40	" Ionic Lodge, 229
215	" Peter F. LeR. . .	30	" Beaver Lodge, 234
216	Brother James W.....	40	" Manitoba Lodge, 236
217	Widow of Nathan R.....	30	" Quinte Lodge, 241
218	" John T.....	30	" Eureka Lodge, 248
219	" Wm. A. D.....	30	" "
220	" Neil M.....	40	" Thistle Lodge, 250
221	Brother Wesley H.....	30	" Farran's Point Lodge, 251
222	Widow of James A.....	20	" Harriston Lodge, 262
223	" McK. C.....	30	" Lebanon Lodge, 270
224	" Thos. W. M....	40	" Seymour Lodge, 272
225	" John H.....	30	" New Hope Lodge, 279
226	" Phil. S.....	30	" Lorne Lodge, 282
227	" C. R.....	40	" "
228	" James McR....	20	" "
229	" Wm. B. M....	20	" Wingham Lodge, 286
230	" Aaron B.....	30	" Minerva Lodge, 304
231	Orphans of James H. M..	40	" Humber Lodge, 305
232	Widow of James S.....	40	" Durham Lodge, 306
233	" Wm. A. G....	40	" Blackwood Lodge, 311
234	Orphans of David M.....	40	" Pnyx Lodge, 312
235	Widow of Francis J. S...	40	" "
236	" James M.....	40	" Blair Lodge, 314
237	" David J. B.....	40	" "
338	" Wm. McC. W...	20	" Bruce Lodge, 341
239	Wife of Charles C.....	30	R. W. Bro. Otto Klotz, Preston
240	Widow of Henry L. T....	30	Bro. Robt. Armour, Bowmanville
241	Orphans of Robt. G.....	30	V. W. Bro. J. Wright, Port Hope

Total.....\$8670

The following is an abstract of the returns received from the
Local Boards of Relief as at 31st of May, 1881.

TORONTO.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand, 31st May,	
Balance	\$ 74 39
Grant from Grand	
Lodge	300 00
Local Grant from Grand	
Lodge to 17 pensioners....	590 00
Balance from 7 Lodges, viz. :	
No. 16, 22, 25, 65, 75, 247,	
.....	530 10
Sources	39 00
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	\$1,533 49

EXPENDITURE.

Special Grant from Grand	
Lodge to 17 pensioners...	\$590 00
Local Relief	125 00
Transient Relief	628 25
Funeral Expenses.....	18 00
Incidentals.....	158 25
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Total Expenditure....	\$1,514 50
Balance on hand.....	18 99
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	\$1,533 49

HAMILTON.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand, 31st May,	
Balance	\$ 93 04
Grant from Grand	
Lodge	200 00
Local Grant from Grand	
Lodge to 20 pensioners....	730 00
Balance from 3 Lodges, viz. :	
No. 6, 40, 324.....	112 77
Sources.....	116 18
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	\$1,251 99

EXPENDITURE.

Special Grant from Grand	
Lodge to 21 pensioners..	\$670 00
Four orders cancelled.....	60 00
Local Relief	258 78
Transient Relief	114 00
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Total Expenditure....	\$1,102 78
Balance on hand.....	149 21
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	\$1,251 99

LONDON.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand, 31st May,	
Balance	\$139 05
Grant from Grand	
Lodge	180 00
Local Grant from Grand	
Lodge to 13 pensioners..	400 00
Balance from Lodges, viz. :	
No. 20, 42, 64.....	75 00
Sources	19 52
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	\$813 57

EXPENDITURE.

Special Grant from Grand	
Lodge to pensioners.....	400 00
Local Relief	82 00
Transient Relief	95 00
Funeral Expenses.....	20 00
Incidentals	14 05
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Total Expenditure.....	\$611 05
Balance on hand.....	202 52
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	\$813 57

OTTAWA.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand, 31st May,	
1880.....	\$185 82
Direct Grant from Grand	
Lodge.....	150 00
Special Grant from Grand	
Lodge to 6 pensioners....	210 00
Grants from Lodges, viz.:	
No. 264	16 00
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	\$561 82

EXPENDITURE.

Special Grant from Grand	
Lodge to 6 pensioners....	210 00
Local Relief	165 00
Transient Relief	27 25
Incidentals.....	7 10
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Total Expenditure.....	\$409 35
Balance on hand.....	152 47
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	\$561 82

KINGSTON.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand, 31st May,	
1880.....	\$ 90 72
Direct Grant from Grand	
Lodge	60 00
Special Grant from Grand	
Lodge to 12 pensioners ..	430 00
Grants from 3 Lodges, viz.:	
Nos. 3, 92, 253	325 04
From Chapter	36 00
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	\$941 76

EXPENDITURE.

Special Grants from Grand	
Lodge to 12 pensioners....	\$430 00
Local Relief	129 00
Transient Relief	101 89
Funeral Expeuses.....	152 84
Incidentals	3 30
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Total Expenditure.....	\$817 03
Balance on hand.....	124 73
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	\$941 76

PETERBOROUGH.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand, 31st May,	
1880.....	\$ 47 24
Direct Grant from Grand	
Lodge	50 00
Special Grant from Grand	
Lodge to 8 pensioners....	310 00
Grant from Lodge 101.....	10 00
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	\$417 24

EXPENDITURE.

Special Grant from Grand	
Lodge to 8 pensioners....	\$295 00
Local Relief	35 00
Funeral Expenses.....	15 00
One order from Grand Lodge	
cancelled	15 04
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Total Expenditure.....	\$360 00
Balance on hand.....	57 24
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	\$417 24

GUELPH.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand, 31st May, 1880.....	\$ 48 00
Direct Grant from Grand Lodge.....	30 00
Special Grants from Grand Lodge to 2 pensioners....	70 00
Grant from 3 Lodges, viz.: Nos. 180, 258, 361.....	30 00
From one Chapter	5 00
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	\$183 00

EXPENDITURE.

Special Grant from Grand Lodge to 2 pensioners....	\$ 70 00
Local Relief	65 00
Transient Relief	20 00
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Total Expenditure	\$155 00
Balance on hand	28 00
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	\$183 00

ST. THOMAS.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand, 31st May, 1880..	\$ 36 92
Direct Grant from Grand Lodge	30 00
Special Grants from Grand Lodge to 1 pensioner	30 00
Grants from 2 Lodges, viz.: Nos. 44 and 192	41 66
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	\$138 58

EXPENDITURES.

Special Grant from Grand Lodge to 1 pensioner	\$ 30 00
Local Relief....	20 00
Transient Relief.....	50 50
Incidentals	17 25
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Total Expenditure	\$117 75
Balance on hand	20 83
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	\$138 58

GALT.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand 31st May, 1880.....	\$ 11 40
Direct Grant from Grand Lodge	20 00
Grants from 2 Lodges, viz.: Nos. 72, 257	20 00
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	\$51 40

EXPENDITURE.

Local Relief	\$ 25 00
Balance on hand	26 40
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	\$51 40

STRATFORD.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand, 5th September, 1879.....	\$118 38
Grants from two Lodges viz : 144, 332.....	55 65
Other sources	30 00
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	\$204 03

EXPENDITURE.

Local Relief	\$79 50
Transient Relief	24 50
Funeral Expenses.....	65 00
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Total Expenditure	\$168 50
Balance on hand.....	35 53
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	\$204 03

GODERICH.

RECEIPTS.

Direct Grant from Grand Lodge	\$ 20 00
Special Grants from Grand Lodge to two pensioners...	70 00
Grants from two Lodges, viz: Nos. 33, 112.....	28 00
Other sources	6 00
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	\$124 00

EXPENDITURE.

Special Grants from Grand Lodge to two pensioners	\$70 00
Local Relief.....	36 65
Transient Relief.....	2 00
Incidentals.....	1 20
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Total Expenditure.....	\$109 85
Balance on hand.....	14 15
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	\$124 00

STRATHROY.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand 31st May, 1880.....	\$ 15 72
Direct Grant from Grand Lodge	20 00
Special Grant from Grand Lodge to 3 pensioners....	100 00
Grant from Lodge No. 83..	9 00
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	\$144 72

EXPENDITURE.

Special Grant from Grand Lodge to 2 pensioners....	\$100 00
Local Relief	2 00
Transient Relief	9 00
Incidentals.....	13
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Total Expenditure	\$111 13
Balance on hand	33 59
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	\$144 72

INGERSOLL.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
Direct Grant from Grand		Special grant from Grand	
Lodge	\$20 00	Lodge to 2 pensioners....	\$70 00
Special grant from Grand			
Lodge to 2 pensioners....	70 00	Total Expenditure	\$70 00
		Balance on hand.....	20 00
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	\$90 00		\$90 00

Fraternally submitted,

JAMES MOFFAT,

President of the Board.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. Jas. Moffat, seconded by R. W. Bro. Otto Klotz, and

Resolved—That the Report of the Board on Benevolence be received and adopted.

REPORT OF THE BOARD ON THE CONDITION OF MASONRY.

R. W. Bro. James Moffat, on behalf of the Board, presented and read the following

REPORT:

The Board beg to submit the following report on the Condition of Masonry :

Reports have been received from the D. D. G. Masters of the Clair, London, Wilson, Huron, Wellington, Hamilton, Niagara, Toronto, Georgian, Ontario, St. Lawrence and Ottawa Districts, and on the whole the condition of Masonry in Canada is entirely satisfactory, so much so that there is very little for your Board to draw the attention of the Grand Lodge to. It is with great satisfaction and pleasure we observe that our esteemed and most worshipful Grand Master has visited many of the districts, and by his

presence given encouragement to the members of the Order, and created confidence and good will amongst the brethren.

Your Board find that there have been a number of new Lodges established, and that general prosperity and good-will prevail amongst the members of the Order.

Your Board observe with great pleasure that many of the D. D. G. Masters have been able to visit every Lodge in their respective districts, besides holding numerous Lodges of Instruction. This course cannot be too highly commended, and your Board would recommend that in future it be followed out as far as possible.

Regarding the petition from Shuniah Lodge No. 287, your Board require further information on the subject before reporting as to the advisability of establishing a new Masonic District for Algoma.

Your Board very deeply regret the loss by death of a number of brethren during the last Masonic year, and most prominent amongst them our late much lamented Brother, Most Worshipful Past Grand Master William Henry Weller, and Right Worshipful Brother W. Mostyn, P. D. D. G. Master, and would recommend that memorial pages be set apart in the proceedings of Grand Lodge to each one of the distinguished Brothers.

Fraternally submitted

JAMES MOFFAT.

President of the Board.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. James Moffat, seconded by W. Bro. David Glass, and

Resolved,—That the report of the Board on the Condition of Masonry be received and adopted.

REPORT OF THE BOARD ON JURISPRUDENCE AND FOREIGN GRAND LODGES.

R. W. Bro. James Moffat, on behalf of the Board, presented and read the following

REPORT:

The Board beg leave to present the following report on Jurisprudence and Foreign Grand Lodges.

In reference to the application of the widow of the late William Campbell, P. M. of King Solomon's Lodge, Toronto, asking for a new Grand Lodge Certificate in lieu of the one originally issued by Grand Lodge, and which is alleged to have been lost:

The Board recommend that upon the certificate and recommendation of King Solomon's Lodge, setting forth that they are satisfied of such loss, that a duplicate certificate be signed by the Grand Secretary upon payment of the prescribed fee.

Bro. James F. Brown applies both personally and through his Lodge, St. John's Lodge No. 20, London, for a new certificate, under the name of James F. De Jean, it being alleged that such is his true name. St. John's Lodge apparently being satisfied of the correctness of the allegation, the Board recommend that the precedent laid down in the case of Fitz Kham, and Galt Lodge 257 (see Proceedings, 1877, page 132) be followed in this case, and that an endorsement be made by the Grand Secretary on Bro. Brown's original certificate, sufficient to identify him as the person mentioned in the body of it, and that an entry be made in the books of Grand Lodge and his own Lodge, showing such change.

In regard to the application of the St. John's Grand Lodge of Hungary for recognition, there being nothing before the Board except the application, it is recommended that the whole matter be laid over till next year.

Fraternally submitted

JAMES MOFFAT.

President of the Board.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. James Moffat, seconded by R. W. Bro. Henry Macpherson, and

Resolved, --That the report of the Board on Jurisprudence and Foreign Grand Lodges be received and adopted.

REPORT OF THE BOARD ON GRIEVANCES AND APPEALS.

R. W. Bro. James Moffat, on behalf of the Board, presented and read the following

REPORT:

The Board of General Purposes have had before them the following cases of grievances and appeals, upon which they report respectively as follows :

IN THE MATTER OF
W. BRO. J. BRASFORD,
and
WELLND LODGE, No. 36.

} In this case W.
Bro. Brasford ap-
peals against the

action of this Lodge in remitting the dues of certain brethren in violation of Art. 14 of the By-laws of said Lodge, such Article—
reading as follows :—"Any Brother suspended for non-payment —
of dues shall not be permitted to re-join his Lodge until all such —
back dues shall be paid."

The W. Bro. further appeals against the action of the District—
Deputy Grand Master of Niagara District when presiding at a —
meeting of Welland Lodge, No. 56, for having declared a motion —
for the re-instatement of a Brother Mason in this Lodge carried
when the vote was a tie vote.

As to the first appeal, the facts are not sufficiently before the—
Board, and they recommend that it be referred to the D. D. G.—
M. of Niagara District for investigation.

As to the second appeal, the D. D. G. M. of Niagara District—
states that he did not declare the motion carried. The Board—

recommend that the minutes (if incorrect) be amended by stating that the motion was lost.

BRO. THOMAS WILLIAMSON, JR.,

vs.

ST. JOHN'S LODGE, No. 63.

the D. D. G. M. of Ottawa District, to whom it was referred by the M. W., the Grand Master. The Board considers that Brother E. A. Proud is a Master Mason in good standing, as he was not responsible in any way for the irregularity of his initiation.

This matter has
really been disposed
of by the report of

In the matter of
ST. JOHN'S LODGE, No. 63,
and

W. BRO. C. G. STACKHOUSE.

Lodge, at the last Annual Communication, for the term of five years, and thereafter, until he should, by writing addressed to the Grand Master, acknowledge his fault and express contrition therefor. (The offences are detailed in the Proceedings for 1880, at page 119.) The Brethren of St. John's Lodge, No. 63, have petitioned for the removal of this suspension.

W. Bro. C. G.
Stackhouse was sus-
pended by the Grand

After considering the matter and the gravity of the offence committed by the W. Bro., the Board cannot recommend that the Prayer of the petition be granted at present.

BRO. JACOB HARENS,

and

KILWINNING LODGE, No. 64.

against the authorities of the Lodge for the manner in which its business is conducted. They are of too vague and general a character to be tried by the Board in any event. The Board are of opinion that they should be referred in the first place to the D. D. G. M. of London District to investigate and report upon before any further action is taken.

The charges in
this case are sub-
stantially charges

WILSON LODGE, No. 86,

vs.

BRO. F. W. RIMER.

this Lodge for unmasonic conduct, he having been previously

In March, 1880,
Bro. F. W. Rimer
was suspended by

convicted of the crime of forgery, and sentenced for a term of imprisonment in the Provincial Penitentiary, where he is still confined.

The Lodge have recommended his expulsion. He has been duly summoned to shew cause why he should not be expelled. He does not show any cause.

The Board recommend that Bro. F. W. Rimer be expelled from the Craft.

ST. MARKS LODGE, No. 94,

VS.

BRO. ALEXANDER WEIR,

be suspended by St. Mark's Lodge, No. 94, for unmasonic conduct, and recommended for expulsion.

In this case Bro. Alex. Weir was on motion declared to

There is no evidence that a proper trial was had, produced to the Board, and in the absence of such evidence the Board can take no action in this matter.

SHARON LODGE, No. 97,

VS.

BRO. WM. J. FORTH.

Sharon Lodge, No. 97, for unmasonic conduct, with a recommendation to Grand Lodge for his expulsion. After fully considering the papers submitted in the case, the Board cannot concur in the recommendation for expulsion.

In October, 1880 Bro. Wm. J. FORTH was suspended by

In the matter of
BRO. JAMES WATT,
and

RENFREW LODGE, No. 122.

sion for non-payment of dues by Renfrew Lodge, No. 122, at an emergent meeting of the Lodge. He was suspended for non-payment of dues at a meeting held on the Festival of St. John the Baptist. By the By-law of the Lodge this Festival was not regular meeting. The regulations of the Grand Lodge relating to Masonic trials provide that such proceedings should be taken at regular meetings of Lodges.

This is an appeal of Bro. James Watt against his suspension

After an examination of the papers submitted, the Board commend that the suspension be removed and that Bro Jas. be restored to good standing, and that his name do not bear in the list of suspended members published in the proceedings of Grand Lodge.

<p>BRO. H. MCDUGALL, vs. W. BRO. JOHN SATCHELL and GOODWOOD LODGE, No. 159.</p>	}	<p>This is an appeal from the decision of Goodwood Lodge, No. 159, in the matter of a complaint brought by Bro. McDougall against W. Bro. John Satchell, and which the Lodge dismissed.</p>
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The charges made in the original complaint are of so indefinite character that they should not have been submitted to the Lodge for a vote.

The Board recommend that the appeal be dismissed.

<p>STAR IN THE EAST LODGE, No. 164, vs. BRO. WILLIAM PATTERSON.</p>	}	<p>On the 26th of August, 1879, Bro. Wm. Patterson was suspended by Star in the East Lodge, No. 164, for unmasonic conduct.</p>
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The Lodge have recommended his expulsion. He has been summoned to show cause why he should not be expelled. He does not show any cause.

The Board recommend that Bro. William Patterson be expelled from the Craft.

<p>OLD LIGHT LODGE, No. 184. vs. BRO. G. T. BURGESS.</p>	}	<p>In this matter the papers show that Bro. G. T. Burgess was, on the 6th of March, 1880, suspended for unmasonic conduct in having defrauded a large number of his brethren of sums of money. The Lodge has recommended his expulsion.</p>
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At the last annual communication it was directed that the brother be summoned to show cause why he should not be expelled.

He has been summoned but does not show any cause.

The Board recommend that Bro. G. T. Burgess be expelled from the craft.

<p>SAUGEEN LODGE, No. 197, vs. BRO. JAMES McBEATH.</p>	}	<p>On the 12th Apr 1881, Bro. James McBeath was sus- pended by Saugeen Lodge, No. 197, Walkerton, for unmasonic conduct in being a party to the formation of an unlawful and clandestine lodge of Masons at Eden Grove, in the County Bruce.</p>
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The Lodge recommends his expulsion. He has been summoned but does not show any sufficient cause why he should not be expelled.

The Board recommend that Bro. James McBeath be expelled from the craft.

<p>MARMORA LODGE, No. 222, vs. BRO. BENJAMIN JOHNSTON.</p>	}	<p>In this case the Board consider that the charges made against the defendant should have been more explicit. Apart from this consideration it is improper that any brother should be found guilty on merely verbal evidence. The statements should be taken in writing, so that in the event of an appeal the evidence can be produced to the higher tribunal. The Board have no means of judging whether the defendant was, or was not guilty of the offence charged against him. They would remark that the summons for trial treats the amount alleged to be due as a simple debt : " amount of dues \$65.00, up to and including next Monday, which please pay."</p>
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The Board are of opinion that the suspension was illegal, and

recommend that the matter of the complaint should be remitted **back** to the Lodge, to enable it to proceed properly.

<p>ALDWORTH LODGE, No. 235, vs. W. BRO. THOMAS PINKERTON AND BROS. ARCHIBALD MCARTHUR, JOHN BRANDT, ALEXANDER MCINTOSH, JAMES DOUGAN, JOHN MUNN AND MOSES IRWIN.</p>	}	<p>At a meeting of Aldworth Lodge, No. 235, Paisley, held on the 13th May, 1881, W. Bro. Thos. Pinkerton and Bros. Archibald McArthur, John Brandt, Alex. McIntosh, James Dougan, John Munn and Moses Irwin, were suspended for un- masonic conduct, in being parties to the formation of a Lodge of unlawful and clandestine masons at Eden Grove, in the County of Bruce.</p>
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Aldworth Lodge has recommended their expulsion. They **have** been duly summoned to show cause why they should not be **expelled**. They do not show any sufficient cause.

The Board recommend that W. Bro. Thomas Pinkerton and Bros. Archibald McArthur, John Brandt, Alexander McIntosh, James Dougan, John Munn and Moses Irwin be expelled from the Craft.

<p>VIENNA LODGE, No. 237, vs. BRO. M. S. BROWNELL, 1878, p. 133; 1879, p. 91 and 1880, p. 115.</p>	}	<p>This matter ap- pears in the Grand Lodge Proceedings,</p>
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Bro. Brownell has been suspended by Vienna Lodge, and his **expulsion** is asked for by the Lodge.

The charges preferred are an alleged desertion of his wife and **family**, and an attempted fraud on a Masonic Benefit Association.

His wife alleges that he was drowned in Seneca Lake, N. Y., on Dec. 28th, 1877. It is asserted by the Lodge he absconded to Texas with a woman, not his wife, and that the pretended drowning was a part of a scheme to obtain the insurance on his life.

The evidence upon which the Lodge acted is now before the Board, and they have given much attention to this extraordinary and painful case.

After a careful perusal and consideration of the voluminous papers and evidence submitted, the Board have arrived at a decision that the evidence is not sufficient to warrant a sentence of expulsion.

It is therefore recommended that the request of the Lodge be not complied with.

PARTHENON LODGE, No. 267,

VS.

BRO. A. W. BROWNE.

} In this case,
} has been twice
} before Grand Lodge

the Board see no reason for departing from the conclusion arrived at on the occasions referred to, and therefore recommend that no action be taken.

ST. DAVID'S LODGE, No. 302,

VS.

BRO. W. C. REID.

} On the 24th
} of June, 1879,
} W. C. Reid was

suspended by St. David's Lodge, No. 302, for unmasonic conduct and recommended to Grand Lodge for expulsion.

He has been summoned to show cause why he should not be expelled. He does not show any cause.

The Board recommend that Bro. W. C. Reid be expelled from the Craft.

ORIENT LODGE, No. 339,

VS.

BRO. J. FLETCHER CROSS.

} Bro. J. Fletcher
} Cross was suspended
} for unmasonic

conduct by Orient Lodge, No. 339, on the 1st day of June, 1880, and his expulsion is asked for.

He has been summoned to show cause why he should not be expelled. He does not show any cause.

The Board recommend that Bro. J. Fletcher Cross be expelled from the Craft.

<p>In the matter of DUFFERIN LODGE, No. 364, and W. BRO. SINCLAIR AND BRO. J. E. NORTH- COTT.</p>	}	<p>Brother Northcott was suspended by this Lodge for un- masonic conduct, in having used intem- perate and disrespectful language to W. Bro. Sinclair while he was Master of the Lodge, and during one of its meetings. After a sus- pension of over two years Brother Northcott was by this Lodge recommended for restoration to his Masonic privileges.</p>
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W. Bro. Sinclair complains that Bro. Northcott did not first properly apologize for his language.

W. Bro. Sinclair also appeals against the action of the D. D. G. M., of London District, in connection with this matter.

W. Bro. Sinclair and the D. D. G. M., of London District, both being present before the Board at this meeting, and the latter stating that he had been authorized by Bro. Northcott to tender a full apology to the Lodge, W. Bro. Sinclair withdrew his appeal.

The Board recommend that the suspension of Bro. J. E. Northcott be removed and that he be restored to good standing.

<p>PALMER LODGE No. 372, vs. ST. JOHN'S LODGE, No. 68.</p>	}	<p>This is a complaint by Palmer Lodge, No. 372, against St.</p>
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John's Lodge, No. 68, for having violated the constitution in initiating one William C. Allinson, claimed by the complainants to have been within their jurisdiction at the time of his initiation, without a dispensation from the Grand Master. This is the substance of the charge, which is not preferred in proper form. It appears from the statements made in the defence that the initiated brother was, at the time of his initiation, resident within the juris-

diction of Palmer Lodge, No. 372, and the Board are of opinion that St. John's Lodge, No. 68, acted improperly in initiating him without a dispensation. There are, however, some extenuating circumstances in this case, and it is therefore recommended that the latter Lodge be reprimanded for their action, and be required to pay the usual dispensation fee. The brother should, the Board consider, be allowed to be in good standing, and to receive his third degree.

<p>BRO. JAMES SMITH, and UNION LODGE, No. 380.</p>	}	<p>A petition from Bro. James Smith states that Union Lodge, No. 380, refused to admit him although he has been balloted for and accepted, and he requests an order from the Grand Lodge for his admission.</p>
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From evidence produced to the Board it appears that Brother Smith was initiated in an irregular Lodge, and that he has not been "healed".

The Board are of opinion that this is a matter which should be solely under the control of the Lodge to which the Brother may apply for admission, and they cannot recommend any interference with the action of Union Lodge, No. 380, in this matter.

Fraternally submitted.

JAS. MOFFAT,

President of the Board.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. James Moffat, seconded by R. W. Bro. Henry Robertson, and

Resolved,—That the Report of the Board on Greivances and Appeals, be received and adopted.

TRANSFER TO BENEVOLENT FUND.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, seconded by R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray, and

Resolved,—That the sum of \$7000.00 be taken from the general funds of Grand Lodge, and placed to the credit of the Fund of Benevolence Current Account.

MOTION RESPECTING PROXIES.

In accordance with notice given at the last Annual Communication, it was moved by V. W. Bro. Isaac Huber, seconded by W. Bro. D. M. Card, that the following be added to Clause 8, "of the Grand Lodge," in the Book of Constitution, "that the Proxy be made in duplicate—one copy of which is forwarded to the Grand Secretary at least one week previous to the meeting of the Grand Lodge."

In amendment, it was moved by R. W. Bro. R. T. Walkem, seconded by R. W. Bro. G. H. F. Dartnell, that the debate be adjourned, and that the matter be referred to a Committee to report to-morrow morning.

The amendment was put to the Grand Lodge and declared *carried*, whereupon the M. W. the Grand Master named the following as the Committee, viz :—R. W. Bro. R. T. Walkem, V. W. Bro. Isaac Huber and W. Bro. James Noble.

MOTION RESPECTING APPOINTMENT OF GRAND LECTURERS.

In accordance with notice given at the last annual Communication, it was moved by W. Bro. E. H. D. Hall, seconded by W. Bro. E. H. Long :

"That the Constitution of the Grand Lodge be amended so as to provide for the appointment by the Board of General Purposes of Grand Lecturers, under salary, whose duty it shall be to visit all the Lodges under the jurisdiction of Grand Lodge once, at least, in every year, for the purpose of giving instruction in the Ritual, and explaining, by addresses or otherwise, the principles, traditions and history of the order, so that a uniform system of working may be introduced in the Lodges, and a knowledge of the science of Speculative Masonry acquired by the brethren. The questions of the number of such Grand Lecturers, their tenure of office, and

salaries, to be under the control of the Board. The jurisdiction of the D. D. G. M. to remain as at present."

The motion having been put to Grand Lodge, it was declared *Lost*.

PRESENTATION TO GRAND LODGE LIBRARY.

The R. W., the Grand Secretary, on behalf of the Grand Lodge, A. F. & A. M., of the State of Maine, presented to Grand Lodge a copy of the history of Portland Lodge, No. 1, from its organization, 1769, to the year 1880, edited by M. W. Bro Josiah H. Drummond, P. G. M.; and on behalf of R. W. Bro. Henry Robertson, a copy of his Digest of Masonic Jurisprudence, containing also an essay on the duties and powers of District Deputy Grand Masters, a code of procedure for Masonic trials, and a valuable collection of forms; whereupon it was moved by R. W. Bro Otto Klotz, seconded by R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray, and

Resolved.—That the thanks of the Grand Lodge be tendered to the donors respectively, for their valuable contributions to the Library of Grand Lodge.

CREDENTIALS OF GRAND REPRESENTATIVES.

The following credentials of representatives of sister Grand Lodges were presented and accepted by the Grand Lodge, viz :—

By M. W. Bro. J. A. Henderson, for the G. L. of New Hampshire.

By R. W. Bro. G. H. F. Dartnell, for the G. L. of Colon and the Island of Cuba.

By R. W. Bro. P. J. Brown, for the G. L. of New Mexico.

NEXT ANNUAL COMMUNICATION.

The following places were named for holding the next Annual Communication of Grand Lodge, namely :

- By W. Bro. James Noble, the city of London.
" R. W. Bro. B. Saunders, the city of Brantford.
" " Allan McLean, the city of Ottawa.
" R. W. Bro. G. H. F. Dartnell, the city of Toronto.
" W. Bro. John Moore, the town of Pembroke.
" R. W. Bro. J. Cascaden, the town of Windsor.
" " R. J. Hovenden, the city of St. Catharines.
" " L. H. Henderson, the city of Belleville.
" V. W. Bro. Isaac Huber, the town of Barrie.
Subsequently it was

Resolved.—That the next Annual Communication of Grand Lodge be held at the city of London.

GARND LODGE CALLED OFF.

The Grand Lodge was called from labor to refreshment, to meet on Thursday, the 14th July, at 10 a. m.

Thursday, 14th July, A. D. 1881.

The Grand Lodge resumed labor at 10.15 a. m.

REPORT OF THE BOARD ON THE GRAND MASTER'S ADDRESS.

R. W. Bro. James Moffat, on behalf of the Board, presented and read the following

REPORT :

The Board of General Purposes beg leave to report upon the Grand Master's address as follows :

The Board have heard with sincere gratification the eloquent address of the Grand Master, reminding them, as it does, of the prosperity of our order in this jurisdiction, and of the great work which is being performed by Grand Lodge and the subordinate Lodges.

Its exposition of principles is most instructive and the Board earnestly commend it in this respect to the perusal and attention of the brethren of all degrees.

The Board are reminded by it, of the severe loss which we have suffered in the demise of several distinguished members of our order, particularly our last Most Worsipful Bro. Past Grand Master William Henry Weller, and they desire to echo the sentiments expressed in the address respecting those who have passed through the dark valley of the shadow of death.

The Board concur with the Grand Master, in offering our condolence to the American people, and to the family and relatives of their President, in the great affliction which has befallen them in consequence of an act repugnant to the instincts and tenets of every true Mason.

The large number of Lodges which have been formed during the past year, is a proof of the extension of our influence and principles, on which the Board congratulate not only the Grand Lodge but the community in general, who will, it is believed, derive material benefit from the spread of Freemasonry.

The appointments of foreign representatives are recommended for approval.

The suggestions of the Grand Master respecting the amalgamation of Lodges are most important, and are deserving of most serious consideration by Grand Lodge.

The decisions of the Grand Master respecting the physical qualifications of candidates for Freemasonry, are, it is believed, in accordance with our landmarks, and should secure the endorsement of Grand Lodge.

The Board are especially pleased to observe the diligence with which the onerous duties of the Grand Master have been per-

formed, and to receive his assurance of similar diligence and excellence amongst the brethren whom he visited.

The finances of the Grand Lodge appear to be in a most flourishing condition, a gratifying sign of prosperity.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. MOFFAT.

President of the Board.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. James Moffat, seconded by R. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, and

Resolved,—That the report of the Board of General Purposes on the address of the M. W. the Grand Master, be received and adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON TESTIMONIAL.

The following report was presented and read by R. W. Bro. Daniel Spry.

REPORT:

The Committee appointed to procure and present a Testimonial to M. W. Bro. W. H. Weller, Past Grand Master, beg to report that they regret that while the form of the Testimonial was under consideration, they were apprised of the M. W. Brother's death.

Having in view all the circumstances connected with the matter your Committee after due deliberation presented the sum of \$220.00, being the value of the proposed testimonial, to Miss Caroline Weller, sister of the late M. W. Bro. Weller, who previous to, and at the time of his death, resided with and presided over his household.

Fraternally submitted.

DANIEL SPRY, HUGH MURRAY, F. J. MENET,	} Committee.
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It was moved by R. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, seconded by R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray, and

Resolved,—That the report just read be received and adopted.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON PROXIES.

W. Bro. Jas. Noble presented and read the following report on the resolution moved yesterday by V. W. Bro. Isaac Huber.

REPORT:

The Committee to whom was referred the resolution of V. W. Bro. Isaac Huber, respecting proxies, beg to recommend that the motion referred to be amended to read as follows:

“Said proxy shall not be valid unless made in duplicate and registered in the Grand Lodge attendance book under the number of the Lodge granting said Proxy. For that purpose one copy shall be mailed by registered letter by the Secretary of the Lodge to the Grand Secretary, at least four days prior to the meeting of the Grand Lodge, and in the event of said proxy being lost, the brother to whom the same has been granted, may procure from the Grand Secretary a certified copy thereof, which copy shall have the same force and effect as the original,” and that the foregoing be added to Clause 8 “of the Grand Lodge,” in the book of Constitution.

It was moved by W. Bro. James Noble, seconded by V. Bro. Isaac Huber, and

Resolved,—That the report just read be received, and referred to the Board of General Purposes, to report at the next Annual Communication.

CREDENTIALS OF REPRESENTATIVES.

R. W. Bro. R. Hendry, Jr., on behalf of the Committee on the Credentials of Representatives, presented and read the following

SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT :

The Committee on Credentials of Representatives and Proxies, beg to report, that at the present Annual Communication of Grand Lodge, there are 264 Lodges represented as follows : 204 Lodges, by their duly qualified officers, and 60 by Proxies, while 82 Lodges are unrepresented.

The number of Lodges represented by their duly qualified officers exceeds last year by 59, the number represented by Proxies is less than last year by 18, and the number unrepresented, 82, being 28 less than last year.

The total number of votes entitled to be cast is 996.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

R. HENDRY, JR., *Chairman*.
R. B. HUNGERFORD.
C. R. SMITH.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. R. Hendry, Jr., seconded by R. W. Bro. R. B. Hungerford, and

Resolved,—That the Supplementary Report of the Committee on Credentials of Representatives and Proxies, be received and adopted.

VOTE OF THANKS TO COMMITTEE.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. Otto Klotz, seconded by R. W. Bro. J. M. Meakins, and

Resolved,—That the cordial thanks of the Grand Lodge are due, and are hereby tendered to the Committee on Credentials of Representatives and Proxies, for the satisfactory manner in which they have performed their arduous duties.

MASONIC ASYLUM.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. the Rev. C. W. Paterson, seconded by R. W. Bro. R. J. Hovenden,

That the M. W. the Grand Master be requested to appoint a Committee of this Grand Lodge, to take into consideration the advisability and expediency of founding and establishing an Asylum or Home for destitute widows and orphans of deceased Freemasons in this jurisdiction ; and that the said Committee be instructed to ascertain where a suitable site could be obtained and the cost of a suitable building, or whether suitable premises might be secured, also to report as to the probable annual cost of the support per head of the inmates of such an institution : and to report such other information and particulars as may be useful to this Grand Lodge in deciding upon the expediency of the proposed scheme, such Committee to report at the next Annual Communication.

The resolution having been put to the Grand Lodge, it was declared *lost*.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

The M W. the Grand Master appointed the following Brethren scrutineers of the ballot for Grand Officers, and elective members of the Board of General Purposes, viz : R. W. Bros Allan McLean, Hugh Murray and J. H. Benson.

The Scrutineers having reported, the following Brethren were declared duly elected Office-Bearers for the ensuing term, viz :

M. W. Bro.	Jas. Moffat,	London	Grand Master.
R. W. "	Daniel Spry,	Barrie,	Deputy Grand Master.
" "	Wm. Hayden,	Woodstock,	Grand Senior Warden.
" "	W. A. Gunn,	Kingston,	Grand Junior Warden.
" "	Rev. Evans Davis,	London,	Grand Chaplain.
" "	Edward Mitchell,	Hamilton,	Grand Treasurer.
" "	E. H. Long,	Waterford,	Grand Registrar.
" "	J. J. Mason,	Hamilton,	Grand Secretary.
	and by an open vote of Grand Lodge,		
"	F. J. Hood,	London,	Grand Tyler.

DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTERS.

The following Brethren were nominated by the representatives

of Lodges, as District Deputy Grand Masters for their respective Districts, and were approved by the M. W. the Grand Master, viz :—

R. W. Bro.	T. C. Macnabb,	Chatham,	St. Clair	District.
"	" Wm. Milner,	Strathroy,	London	"
"	" G. C. Eden,	Woodstock,	Wilson	"
"	" DeWitt H. Martyn,	Kincardine,	Huron	"
"	" S. S. McCormack,	Orangeville,	Wellington	"
"	" W. G. Reid,	Hamilton,	Hamilton	"
"	" J. Murison Dunn,	Welland,	Niagara	"
"	" J. B. Nixon,	Toronto,	Toronto	"
"	" John Cressor,	Owen Sound,	Georgian	"
"	" G. H. F. Dartnell,	Whitby,	Ontario	"
"	" John S. Loomis,	Madoc,	Prince Edw'd	"
"	" A. F. Milliken,	Cornwall,	St. Lawrence	"
"	" J. G. Cranston,	Arnprior,	Ottawa	"

BOARD OF GENERAL PURPOSES.

The Scrutineers having reported, the following brethren were declared duly elected members of the Board of General Purposes for the ensuing term, viz :—

R. W. Bro.	Donald Ross,	Picton,
"	" R. T. Walkem,	Q. C., Kingston.
"	" Henry Macpherson,	Owen Sound.
"	" Bernard Saunders,	Toronto.
"	" J. M. Meakins,	Hamilton.

The M. W. the Grand Master was pleased to announce the following appointments as members of the Board of General Purposes for the ensuing term, viz :—

R. W. Bro.	Hugh Murray,	Hamilton.
"	" L. H. Henderson,	Belleville.
"	" J. Cascaden,	Iona.
"	" P. J. Brown,	Ingersoll.
W. "	David Glass,	Q. C., London.

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS.

M. W. Bro. James A. Henderson, assisted by M. W. Bros. A.

A. Stevenson and James Seymour proceeded with the installation and investiture of the newly elected officers, who were proclaimed and saluted with the customary Masonic honors.

APPOINTED OFFICERS.

At a subsequent date the M. W. the Grand Master, was pleased to notify the Grand Secretary of the following appointments to office for the ensuing year, viz :—

V. W. Bro.	Richard Radcliffe,	Goderich,	Grand Senior Deacon
" "	Francis Gallow,	Toronto,	" Junior Deacon
" "	H. W. Ansley,	Port Dover,	" Sup't of Work
" "	Carl E. Klotz,	Preston,	" Dir. of Cer.
" "	J. E. Harrison,	Milton,	Ass't. Grand Secty.
" "	Edward Flood,	Lindsay,	" " D. of
" "	J. Gage Miller,	Niagara,	Grand Sword Bearer
" "	James Newell,	Wyoming,	" Organist.
" "	Robt. J. Sanderson,	Orillia,	Ass't Grand Organist
" "	J. J. Smyth,	Billing's Bridge,	Grand Pursuivant
" "	Walter S. Lee,	Toronto,	Grand Steward.
" "	John Fitzallen,	Delaware,	"
" "	W. E. Millward,	Grimsby,	"
" "	R. J. Pujolas,	Drayton,	"
" "	Chas. Pye,	Clarksburg,	"
" "	Chas King,	Whitby,	"
" "	John Warnock,	Ingersoll,	"
" "	G. E. R. Wilson,	Frankford,	"
" "	T. A. Thompson,	Iroquois,	"
" "	Thos. Brock,	London,	"
" "	John Satchell,	Richmond,	"
" "	J. F. H. Gunn,	Walkerton,	"

TESTIMONIAL TO M. W. BRO. JAS. A. HENDERSON

It was moved by R. W. Bro. J. E. Harding, seconded by W. Bro. Donald Ross, and

Resolved—That the M. W. the Grand Master be requested to appoint a Committee to obtain a suitable testimonial to be presented to M. W. ~~HENDERSON~~

James A. Henderson, Past Grand Master, as a recognition of the eminent services rendered to the craft by him during his term of office.

Whereupon the M. W. the Grand Master was pleased to appoint upon the aforesaid Committee R. W. Bros. Daniel Spry, Donald Ross and R. Hendry, jr.

NOTICES OF MOTION FOR NEXT ANNUAL COMMUNICATION.

1. By R. W. Bro. Bernard Saunders—That Clause 5 “ of the Grand Lodge” in the Book of Constitution, be amended by adding after the words “Deputy Grand Master” the words “by nominations, to be handed to the Grand Secretary on the first day of Grand Lodge, and if more than one brother be nominated, then by ballot.”

2. By W. Bro. Harry Vincent— That Clause 24, “ of private Lodges” in the Book of Constitution, be amended by striking out the words “and of the regular lodge dues for ” and inserting instead the words “and of the further sum of one dollar for each year or part of a year during”.

3. By R. W. Bro. R. J. Hovenden—That Clause 17 “ of the Grand Lodge ” in the Book of Constitution, be amended by striking out the words “at which the place of holding the next communication shall be decided,” and inserting instead the words “ of each year at the city of Toronto.” ●

4. By R. W. Bro. R. T. Walkem—That the Constitution may be amended by providing for the appointment of twelve scrutineers, or a less number, instead of three, such scrutineers to act in sections of threes, to whom shall be allotted separate parcels of voting papers.

5. By R. W. Bro. L. H. Henderson—That Clause 1 “ of Deputy District Grand Master ” in the Book of Constitution, be amended by inserting next after the words “ of the Lodges ” the words “ together with the Past Masters present.”



GRAND LODGE CLOSED.

The business of Grand Lodge being ended, it was closed at 9 o'clock p. m., in AMPLE FORM.



J. J. Mason
Grand Secretary

APPENDICES.

GRAND SECRETARY'S STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS.

Statement of moneys received by the Grand Secretary, from the 1st day of January, A. D. 1880, to the 31st of May, A. D. 1881.

NAMES OF LODGES.	\$ cts.	NAMES OF LODGES.	\$ cts.
2 Niagara	27 75	51 Corinthian	00 00
3 The Ancient St. John's .	88 25	52 Dalhousie	55 00
5 Sussex	112 25	54 Vaughan	36 75
6 Barton	179 50	55 Merrickville.....	62 25
7 Union	20 75	56 Victoria	98 00
9 Union	18 00	57 Harmony	34 75
10 Norfolk	39 75	58 Doric	49 25
11 Moira	108 25	61 Acacia	57 75
14 True Britons	50 75	62 St. Andrew's	38 00
15 St. George's.....	38 50	63 St. John's.....	48 50
16 St. Andrew's	225 75	64 Kilwinning	121 75
17 St. John's... ..	71 00	65 Rehoboam	147 75
18 Prince Edward	80 25	66 Durham	39 25
20 St. John's.....	222 00	68 St. John's.....	78 75
22 King Solomon's	167 50	69 Stirling	73 00
23 Richmond	39 00	72 Alma	62 00
24 St. Francis'	41 25	73 St. James'	41 50
25 Ionic	123 00	74 St. James'	31 25
26 Ontario	52 00	75 St. John's.....	158 25
27 Strict Observance	128 25	76 Oxford	57 50
28 Mount Zion	29 00	77 Faithful Brethren	57 50
29 United	73 50	78 King Hiram	49 50
30 Composite.....	40 75	79 Simcoe	27 00
31 Jerusalem.....	86 50	80 Albion	26 25
32 Amity	182 50	81 St. John's.....	66 25
33 Goderich	28 25	82 St. John's.....	36 50
34 Thistle	23 50	83 Beaver	105 75
35 St. John's.....	53 25	84 Clinton	140 75
36 Welland	23 00	85 Rising Sun	51 00
37 King Hiram.....	66 25	86 Wilson	126 00
38 Trent.....	29 00	87 Markham Union.....	35 00
39 Mount Zion	31 00	88 St. George's.....	44 75
40 St. John's.....	150 50	89 King Hiram.....	24 25
41 St. George's	51 25	90 Manito	76 00
42 St. George's.....	75 50	91 Colborne	28 00
43 King Solomon's	90 25	92 Cataraqui	131 75
44 St. Thomas	37 50	93 Northern Light	99 00
45 Brant.....	54 00	94 St. Mark's	00 00
46 Wellington	51 25	95 Ridout	20 50
47 Great Western	98 00	96 Corinthian	40 00
48 Madoc	24 50	97 Sharon	34 25
50 Conseccon	00 00	98 True Blue... ..	00 00

GRAND SECRETARY'S ACCOUNT.—[Continued.]

NAMES OF LODGES.	\$ cts.	NAMES OF LODGES.	\$
99 Tuscan.....	61 50	158 Alexandra	2
100 Valley	29 00	159 Goodwood	0
101 Corinthian	39 50	161 Percy	4
103 Maple Leaf.....	86 25	162 Forest	2
104 St. John's	37 75	164 Star in the East	2
105 St. Mark's	37 25	165 Burlington	4
106 Burford	44 25	166 Wentworth	5
107 St. Paul's	80 50	168 Merritt	5
108 Blenheim	26 00	169 Macnab	4
109 Albion	32 25	170 Britannia	5
110 Central	46 75	171 Prince of Wales	2
111 Morpeth	56 00	172 Ayr	3
112 Maitland.....	37 50	174 Walsingham	16
113 Wilson	67 00	176 Spartan	2
114 Hope	31 25	177 The Builders	3
115 Ivy	51 25	178 Plattsville	2
116 Cassia	21 25	179 Bothwell.....	
118 Union	23 50	180 Speed	8
119 Maple Leaf.....	40 00	181 Oriental	2
120 Warren	27 00	183 Prince Albert.....	7
121 Doric	42 75	184 Old Light	4
122 Renfrew	42 00	185 Enniskillen.....	1
123 The Belleville	111 00	186 Plantagenet	0
125 Cornwall.....	56 75	189 Filius Viduæ	2
126 Golden Rule	63 25	190 Belmont	3
127 Franck	77 00	192 Orillia	3
128 Pembroke	140 25	193 Scotland	2
129 The Rising Sun.....	50 75	194 Petrolia	6
131 St. Lawrence.....	22 00	195 The Tuscan	1
133 Lebanon Forest.....	79 00	196 Madawaska	0
135 St. Clair	41 75	197 Saugeen	5
136 Richardson.....	16 50	198 White Oak.....	3
137 Pythagoras.....	85 00	200 St. Alban's.....	6
139 Lebanon	43 50	201 Leeds	12
140 Malahide	76 25	203 Irvine	5
141 Tudor	113 50	205 New Dominion	2
142 Excelsior.....	65 50	207 Lancaster	12
143 Friendly Brothers	33 00	209 ^a St. John's	10
144 Tecumseh	130 50	209 Evergreen	2
145 J. B. Hall	15 50	210 Hawkesbury	6
146 Prince of Wales	47 75	212 Elysian	3
147 Mississippi.....	00 00	213 Dominion	0
148 Civil Service	79 50	214 Craig	3
149 Erie	34 75	215 Lake	2
150 Hastings	00 00	216 Harris	9
151 The Grand River.....	66 75	217 Frederick	3
153 Burns	100 00	218 Stevenson	6
154 Irving	49 50	219 Credit	4
155 Peterboro'	41 00	220 Zeredatha	4
156 York	68 00	221 Mountain	5
157 Simpson	26 75	222 Marmora.....	2

GRAND SECRETARY'S ACCOUNT.—[Continued.]

NAMES OF LODGES.	\$ cts.	NAMES OF LODGES.	\$ cts.
223 Norwood.....	14 50	283 Eureka	58 94
224 Zurich	38 50	284 St. John's	6 00
225 Bernard	82 00	285 Seven Star.....	28 00
228 Prince Arthur	46 75	286 Wingham	47 50
229 Ionic	111 00	287 Shuniah	83 75
230 Kerr	13 00	289 Dorie	86 75
231 Lodge of Fidelity	43 25	290 Leamington	53 75
232 Cameron	86 00	291 Dufferin	40 25
233 Doric	33 50	292 Robertson	14 50
234 Beaver.....	23 75	293 The Royal Sol. Mother	00 00
235 Aldworth	47 75	294 Moore	50 50
236 Manitoba	15 50	295 Conestogo	58 50
237 Vienna	17 00	296 Temple	42 75
238 Havelock	30 50	297 Preston	23 00
239 Tweed	31 00	299 Victoria	27 25
241 Quinte	22 00	300 Mount Olivet.....	1 50
242 Macoy	38 75	301 Hanover	62 00
243 St. George	44 25	302 St. David's.....	91 50
245 Tecumseh	53 00	303 Blyth	24 50
247 Ashlar	55 75	304 Minerva	10 75
248 Eureka	19 00	305 Humber	33 00
249 Caledonia	28 87	306 Durham	43 50
250 Thistle	42 00	307 Arkona	23 25
253 Minden	100 74	308 Grafton	19 50
254 Clifton.....	60 25	309 Morning Star.....	45 75
255 Sydenham	48 25	310 Enterprise	7 62
256 Farran's Point	41 50	311 Blackwood	23 75
257 Galt	61 00	312 Pnyx	111 25
258 Guelph	62 50	313 Clementi	57 00
259 Springfield	40 00	314 Blair	62 25
260 Washington	17 75	315 Clifford	24 75
261 Oak Branch	24 00	316 Dorie	183 25
262 Harriston	59 75	317 The Hiram.....	42 00
263 Forest	81 50	318 Wilmot	13 75
264 Chaudiere	68 75	319 Hiram	27 25
265 Patterson	7 25	320 Chesterville	38 00
266 Northern Light.....	82 50	321 Walker	41 25
267 Parthenon	72 50	322 North Star	50 00
268 Verulam	44 75	323 Alvinston	77 25
269 Brougham Union	31 50	324 Temple	66 50
270 Cedar	63 00	325 Orono	33 75
271 Wellington.....	11 50	326 Zetland	182 00
272 Seymour	20 25	327 The Hammond	16 25
274 Kent	66 25	328 Ionic	21 75
276 Teeswater	11 50	329 King Solomon	32 75
277 Seymour	58 75	330 Corinthian	91 00
278 Mystic	36 00	331 Fordwich	12 25
279 New Hope	19 00	332 Stratford.....	27 75
280 Mount Sinai	17 25	333 Prince Arthur	00 00
281 Thorne	00 00	334 Prince Arthur	20 00
282 Lorne	46 25	335 Langton	16 25

GRAND SECRETARY'S ACCOUNT.—[Continued.]

NAMES OF LODGES.	\$ cts.	NAMES OF LODGES.	\$ cts.
336 Highgate	10 50	370 Harmony	12 00
337 Myrtle	18 25	371 Prince of Wales	54 25
338 Dufferin	39 00	372 Palmer	24 50
339 Orient	173 25	373 Copestone	20 25
340 St. John's	20 00	374 Keene	5 25
341 Bruce	79 25	375 Lorne	36 00
342 Hiram	19 00	376 Unity	11 00
343 Georgina	27 00	377 Lorne	33 25
344 Merrill	25 25	378 King Solomon's	79 50
345 Nilestown	46 25	379 Middlesex	24 00
346 Occident	84 25	380 Union	112 25
347 Mercer	24 50	381 Kinistino	72 75
348 Georgian	32 50	382 Doric	49 75
349 Elgin	44 25	383 Henderson	54 50
350 Port Elgin	53 00	384 Alpha	54 50
351 St. Marys	15 00	385 Spry	83 25
352 Granite	27 50	McColl	15 50
353 Excelsior	00 00	Lansdowne	20 00
354 Brock	58 50	Henderson	23 00
355 Olandeboye	14 00	Crystal Fountain	23 00
356 River Park	60 25	Florence	30 00
357 Waterdown	50 00	Howard	20 00
358 Delaware Valley	12 00	Huron	21 50
359 Vittoria	26 75	Cedar	20 00
360 Muskoka	29 00	Forest	20 00
361 Waverly	39 25	King Solomon	20 00
362 Maple Leaf	44 50	Interest Ben. Fund	3,502 27
363 Frontenac	60 50	" Asylum Fund	485 40
364 Dufferin	61 50	P. M. Certificates	46 00
365 North Star	25 00	Duplicate Warrant	10 00
366 Euclid	45 00	Dispensations and Sundries	23 75
367 St. George	139 50		
368 Salem	00 00		
369 Mimico	34 25		
		Total	\$21,499 85

DISTRIBUTION OF MONEYS RECEIVED.

ates.....	\$ 3,217 00
.....	11,591 62
.....	1,755 50
sations	297 00
nts	90 00
tutions.....	500 19
asters' Certificates	46 00
t of Proceedings and Sundries	14 87
st on General Fund	3,502 27
st on Asylum Fund	485 40
Total.....	<u>\$21,499 85</u>

GRAND SECRETARY'S STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS.

ent of payments made by the Grand Secretary to the Grand
Treasurer, from the 1st day of January, A. D., 1880, to
the 31st day of May, A. D., 1881.

				CR.
		\$ cts.	1880.	\$ cts.
1—To receipts,.....	21,499 85		Jan. 31—By Gr. Treas.	1,500 00
			Feb. 20— " "	1,000 00
			April 16— " "	1,000 00
			16— " "	839 60
			16— " "	125 40
			June 28— " "	1,000 00
			30— " "	1,572 12
			30— " "	121 98
			July 20— " "	2,500 00
			30— " "	800 00
			Oct. 4— " "	500 00
			4— " "	1,205 00
			4— " "	180 00
			Nov. 18— " "	800 00
			Dec. 31— " "	130 69
			1881.	
			Jan. 5— " "	2,000 00
			22— " "	1,000 00
			Feb. 24— " "	1,500 00
			April 7— " "	1,000 00
			7— " "	1,205 00
			7— " "	180 00
			May 3— " "	900 00
			31— " "	440 05
		<u>\$21,499 85</u>		<u>\$21,499 85</u>

GRAND TREASURER'S STATEMENTS.

GENERAL FUND.

DR. The Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of Canada in account with E. MITCHELL, Grand Treasurer. Cr.

1880.	To pd.	Grand Master half yearly	\$ cts.	1880.	By	Balance per Balance Sheet, to	\$ cts.
Jan. 3—		grant for expenses.....	250 00	Jan. 1—	31st December, 1879	\$23,729 13	
" 3—		Mrs. T. B. Harris, quarterly	75 00	" 31—	Grand Secretary.....	1,500 00	
" 3—		grant to 31st Dec. 1879	75 00	Feb. 21—	do	1,000 00	
" 3—		Mrs. Wilson, quarterly grant	75 00	April 17—	do	1,000 00	
" 3—		to 31st Dec. 1879	75 00	June 28—	do	1,000 00	
" 9—		Miss Wilson, quarterly grant	75 00	July 5—	do	1,572 12	
" 9—		to 31st Dec. 1879	269 00	" 20—	do	2,500 00	
M'ch 13—		Bro. J. B. Traves, printing	211 45	Aug. 7—	do	800 00	
" 13—		proceedings G. L. for	400 00	Oct. 1—	do	500 00	
" 13—		1879	200 00	Nov. 19—	do	800 00	
" 13—		Grand Secretary for regalia	43 75	1881.			
" 13—		presented to M. W. Bro.	75 00	Jan. 5—	do	2,000 00	
" 13—		Kerr	75 00	" 22—	do	1,000 00	
April 1—		Grand Secretary's salary to	75 00	Feb. 24—	do	1,500 00	
" 1—		31st March.....	75 00	April 7—	do	1,000 00	
" 1—		Grand Secretary's Assistant,	75 00	May 9—	do	900 00	
" 1—		salary to 31st March ..	440 06	" 31—	do		
" 1—		Hamilton Masonic Hall Asso-					
" 1—		ciation, rent to 31st					
" 1—		March					
" 1—		Mrs. T. B. Harris, quarterly					
" 1—		grant to 31st March					
" 3—		Mrs. Wilson, quarterly grant					
" 3—		Miss Wilson, quarterly grant					

By amount carried forward.....\$41,241 31

1880.		\$	cts.	1880.	\$	cts.
April 17--	To amount brought forward.....		1,824			20
	Grand Secretary, balance account Regalia Grand Master Kerr		5			09
July 5--	" Mrs. Wilson, quarterly grant to 30th June		75			00
" 5--	" Hamilton Masonic Hall Association, rent 30th June..		43			75
" 8--	" Miss Wilson, quarterly grant to 30th June.....		75			00
" 8--	" Grand Master half yearly allowance for expenses ..		250			00
" 8--	" Grand Secretary, salary to 30th June		400			00
" 8--	" Grand Secretary's Assistant, salary to 30th June		200			00
" 8--	" Mrs. T. B. Harris, quarterly grant to 30th June		75			00
" 14--	" Transferred to Benevolent Fund current account by vote of Grand Lodge..		5,000			00
" 24--	" Grand Secretary, incidentals to 30th June, 1880		169			82
" 24--	" Grand Secretary, advance on Incidentals		250			00
" 26--	" Times Printing Co. for Contributions, etc.....		158			50
" 26--	" Ennis & Stirton for printing		163			90
To amount carried forward.....			8,690			17
By amount brought forward.....			41,241			31

GRAND LODGE OF CANADA.

GENERAL FUND.—Continued.

\$ cts.
By amount brought forward \$41,241 31

1880.

\$ cts.
8,690 17

1880.	To amount brought forward	19 60
July 26—	To pd. Buntin Gillies & Co. for stationery.....	353 70
" 26—	Grand Secretary, expenses Board of General Purposes at Guelph.....	34 50
" 26—	Grand Secretary, expenses of Grand Secretary, G. L. in meeting of G. L. in Guelph.....	9 25
" 28—	William Bruce, engrossing warrants.....	248 98
" 28—	Copp, Clark & Co., for certificates.....	14 00
" 30—	Dom. Insurance Co., Insurance on Regalia.....	11 80
Aug. 2—	M. Howles, stove for Grand Secretary's Office.....	30 00
Sept. 2—	R. W. Bro. Otto. Klotz, postage and stationery 3 years, Board of Benevolence.....	200 00
Oct. 1—	Grand Secretary's Assistant salary to 30th Sept.	43 75
" 1—	Hamilton Masonic Hall Association, rent Grand Secretary's Office, 30th Sept retary's salary to	400 00
" 1	Grand Secretary 1880	
	30th Sept. 1880	\$10,055 75

By amount carried forward \$41,241 31

1890.		\$ cts.
	To amount brought forward.....	10,065 75
Oct. 1—	To pd. Bro. J. B. Trayer, printing proceedings for 1890.....	275 00
" 4—	" Mrs. T. B. Harris, quarterly grant to 30th Sept.	75 00
" 4—	" Mrs. W. M. Wilson, quarter- ly grant to 30th Sept. ..	75 00
" 6—	" Miss Mary Wilson, quarterly grant to 30th Sept.	75 00
1881.		
Jan. 3—	" Grand Secretary, salary to 31st Dec., 1890	400 00
" 3—	" Grand Secretary's Assistant, salary to 31st Dec., 1890 ..	200 00
" 3—	" Hamilton Masonic Hall Asso- ciation, rent to 31st Dec., 1890	43 75
" 6—	" Grand Master, half-yearly grant for expenses.....	250 00
" 6—	" Mrs. T. B. Harris, quarterly grant to 31st December, 1890	75 00
" 7—	" Mrs. Wilson, quarterly grant to 31st Dec., 1890	75 00
" 11—	" Miss Wilson, quarterly grant to 31st Dec., 1890	75 00
April 5—	" Miss Wilson, quarterly grant to 31st March, 1891.....	75 00
	To amount carried forward.....	\$11,749 50

GENERAL FUND.—Continued.

	1890.	By amount brought forward.
brought forward	\$ 11,749 50	
T. B. Harris, quarterly grant to 31st March, 1881	56 25	
Wilson, quarterly grant to 31st March, 1881	75 00	
Union Masonic Hall Association, rent to the 31st March, 1881	43 75	
Secretary, salary to 31st March, 1881	400 00	
Secretary's Assistant, salary to 31st March, 1881	200 00	
in lieu of Testimonial vote to late Grand Master Waller	220 00	
transferred to Gen. Fund.		

BENEVOLENT FUND—CURRENT ACCOUNT. **Cr.** *The Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of Canada, in account with E. MITCHELL, Grand Treasurer.*

Dr.	The Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of Canada, in account with E. MITCHELL, Grand Treasurer.		Cr.
1880.			
Jan.	3—To pd.	Mrs. Spence.....	15 00
"	3—	Mrs. Gill.....	20 00
"	9—	Mrs. Ernst.....	15 00
"	9—	Bro. Wm. Pollock.....	25 00
"	9—	Mrs. Foley.....	15 00
Mar.	12—	Mrs. Dow.....	15 00
"	12—	Mrs. T. Smith.....	15 00
"	12—	Mrs. Jas. McRae.....	10 00
"	12—	W. M. Moira Lodge.....	15 00
"	12—	Bd. of Relief, Galt.....	10 00
"	13—	Mrs W. Gamcock.....	20 00
"	13—	Mrs. Riggs.....	20 00
"	13—	Mrs. Terley.....	15 00
"	13—	Mrs. Carter.....	15 00
"	13—	Mrs. Cockil.....	20 00
"	13—	Mrs. Sweeney.....	15 00
"	13—	Mrs. Chichister.....	20 00
"	13—	Bd. of Relief, Hamilton.....	100 00
"	15—	Bd. of Relief, London.....	87 50
"	15—	Bro. Ruben Martin.....	25 00
"	15—	Bd. of Relief. Strathroy.....	10 00
"	15—	Mrs. Long.....	20 00
"	15—	Mrs. McLellan.....	15 00
"	15—	Mrs. McGhie.....	15 00
"	15—	Mrs. McGregor.....	20 00
"	15—	Bd. of Relief, Ottawa.....	75 00
"	15—	Mrs. Griffith.....	10 00
To amount carried forward...			\$657 50
1880.			
Jan.	1—By Balance as per Balance Sheet, 31st		
"	December, 1879.....		4,063 53
April	17— " Grand Secretary, Interest on		
"	Dominion Stock.....		839 60
June	30— " Interest on Bank Account to date		
"	July 14— " Transfer from General Fund by		
"	vote of Grand Lodge.....		5,000 00
Oct.	1— " Grand Secretary, Interest on Do-		
"	minion Stock.....		1,205 00
Dec.	31— " Interest on Bank Account to date		
1881.	April 7— " Grand Secretary, Interest on Do-		
"	minion Stock.....		1,205 00
By amount carried forward...			12,565 80

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

1890.	To pd.	1890.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.
Mar. 15—	To amount brought forward...		657 50	
" 15—	Bro. Alex. Craib.....		20 00	
" 15—	Orphans, Richard Booth.....		20 00	
" 15—	Mrs. Sutherland.....		15 00	
" 15—	Bd. of Relief, Toronto.....		150 00	
" 15—	Mrs. Kneeshaw.....		10 00	
" 15—	Mrs. Goldsmith.....		15 00	
" 15—	Mrs. Deniod.....		15 00	
" 16—	Mrs. Wm. Jolly.....		20 00	
" 16—	Mrs. Fisher.....		15 00	
" 16—	Mrs. Jackson.....		15 00	
" 16—	Mrs. Nixon.....		20 00	
" 16—	Mrs. Malone.....		10 00	
" 16—	Mrs. Cox.....		20 00	
" 16—	Mrs. Adamson.....		20 00	
" 16—	Mrs. John Power.....		20 00	
" 16—	Mrs. Wm. Campbell.....		20 00	
" 16—	Mrs. John McKenzie.....		20 00	
" 17—	Bro. A. T. Houel.....		25 00	
" 17—	Mrs. Durkie.....		20 00	
" 17—	Mrs. Thoburn.....		15 00	
" 17—	Mrs. D. G. Hill.....		20 00	
" 17—	Mrs. Foley.....		15 00	
" 17—	Mrs. Matheson.....		20 00	
" 17—	Mrs. Pettit.....		15 00	
" 17—	Mrs. R. W. Moore.....		10 00	
" 18—	Bro. E. Tighe.....		25 00	
" 18—	Bro. Newbold.....		25 00	
To amount carried forward...			\$1,272 50	
By amount brought forward...			12,565 80	
By amount carried forward...			12,565 80	

1880.		1880.	
	To pd.	To amount brought forward.....	\$ cts.
Mar. 18—		Mrs. Martin.....	1,272 50
" 18—	"	Mrs McIntyre.....	20 00
" 18—	"	Mrs. Thos. Leister.....	10 00
" 18—	"	Bro. J. Munroe.....	20 00
" 18—	"	Mrs. T. Hodgkinson.....	20 00
" 18—	"	Mrs. M. Child.....	25 00
" 18—	"	Mrs. W. T. Pickhover.....	10 00
" 18—	"	Mrs. Sproule.....	10 00
" 18—	"	Mrs. H. R. Reid.....	20 00
" 18—	"	Mrs. Maynard.....	15 00
" 19—	"	Mrs. Tilton.....	10 00
" 19—	"	Bd. of Relief, Guelph.....	15 00
" 19—	"	Mrs. Wm. Coulter.....	15 00
" 19—	"	Bro. S. A. J. Donevan.....	25 00
" 19—	"	Mrs. Dunlop.....	20 00
" 19—	"	Mrs. C. P. Wood.....	20 00
" 19—	"	Mrs. H. Close.....	10 00
" 19—	"	Mrs. Lewis.....	15 00
" 19—	"	Bro. J. Reinhardt.....	25 00
" 19—	"	Mrs. Lowery.....	20 00
" 19—	"	Bro. Blondheim.....	25 00
" 19—	"	Mrs. Hurst.....	15 00
" 19—	"	Mrs. Andrews.....	15 00
" 19—	"	W. M. G. W. Lodge 47,..	20 00
" 19—	"	Mrs. James Wilson.....	20 00
" 19—	"	Mrs Hilton.....	15 00
" 19—	"	Mrs. H. E. Higgins.....	10 00
To amount carried forward..			\$1,732 50
By amount brought forward..			12,565 80

BENEVOLENT FUND—Continued.

1880.		1880.		By amount brought forward. \$ cts.	
		To pd.		To amount brought forward....	\$ cts.
Mar.	19--				1,732 50
"	19--			Mrs. Cleg.....	15 00
"	19--			Mrs. Gibson.....	15 00
"	19--			Bro. C. W. Smith.....	25 00
"	19--			Mrs. W. Allen.....	15 00
"	19--			Mrs. Stanley.....	10 00
"	19--			Mrs. Rubidge.....	20 00
"	20--			Mrs. Rawlings.....	15 00
"	20--			R. W. Bro. Gutman.....	25 00
"	20--			Mrs. Hemphill.....	20 00
"	20--			Mrs. Russel.....	10 00
"	20--			Mrs. John Davey.....	10 00
"	20--			Orph. W. H. Patterson.....	20 00
"	20--			Mrs. Bryant..	20 00
"	20--			Mrs. McDowell.....	20 00
"	20--			Mrs. O'Camb.....	20 00
"	20--			Mrs. Miller.....	15 00
"	22--			Bro. Chris. E. Pollock.....	15 00
"	22--			Bro. J. R. Reynolds.....	15 00
"	23--			Bd. of Relief, Galt.....	20 00
"	23--			Bro. L. Tuttle.....	25 00
"	23--			Orphans, Bro. Fowler.....	15 00
"	23--			Mrs. Mackie.....	15 00
"	23--			Bro. G. T. Prentice.....	15 00
"	23--			Miss Price.....	15 00
"	23--			Mrs. Russell.....	10 00
"	24--			Mrs. Hulbert.....	20 00
"	24--			Mrs. Cummins.....	15 00
				By amount carried forward.....	\$2,187 50

1900.

By amount brought forward.. \$ 013, 12,565 80

	To pd.		\$ cts.
Mar. 24—		To amount brought forward....	2,187 50
" 24—	"	Mrs. Bell.....	10 00
" 24—	"	Bd. of Relief, Kingston.....	30 00
" 24—	"	Bd. of Relief, Kingston.....	20 00
" 24—	"	Mrs. Thompson.....	10 00
" 24—	"	Mrs. Chubuck.....	25 00
" 24—	"	Mrs. Harvey.....	20 00
" 24—	"	Mrs. Stoppleben.....	20 00
" 24—	"	Mrs. Ernst.....	15 00
" 24—	"	Mrs. Reading.....	20 00
" 25—	"	Mrs. Reynolds.....	15 00
" 25—	"	Mrs. Turner.....	15 00
" 25—	"	Mrs. Piazzer.....	10 00
" 25—	"	Mrs. Kestivan.....	15 00
" 25—	"	Mrs. Yarmold.....	20 00
" 25—	"	Mrs. McDougall.....	15 00
" 25—	"	Mrs. Graham.....	10 00
" 25—	"	Mrs. Read.....	15 00
" 25—	"	Mrs. Hessel.....	25 00
" 25—	"	Bro. McNaughton.....	20 00
" 25—	"	Bro. Leybourne.....	20 00
" 25—	"	Orph. Bro. Gott.....	15 00
" 25—	"	Mrs. Falls.....	15 00
" 27—	"	Mrs. Howells.....	20 00
" 27—	"	Mrs. Allen.....	20 00
" 29—	"	Mrs. Chaloeer.....	15 00
" 29—	"	Mrs. Salmoni.....	10 00
" 29—	"	Bro. Gillespie.....	15 00
To amount carried forward. .			\$2,647 50

By amount carried forward.. \$12,565 80

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

1880.		1880.		\$	cts.
Mar.	29	To amount brought forward..		2,647	50
"	29	Mrs. Huckle.....		20	00
"	29	Mrs. Collver.....		10	00
"	29	Mrs. Andrews.....		15	00
"	29	Mrs. Davey.....		20	00
"	29	Mrs. Hard.....		25	00
"	29	Bro. Shryver.....		25	00
"	31	Miss Nelson.....		10	00
"	31	Bro. Dan. Graves.....		25	00
"	31	Orphan, T. Todd.....		10	00
"	31	Mrs. Bracken.....		15	00
"	31	Mrs. Michael May.....		10	00
"	31	Mrs. Neilson.....		20	00
"	31	Mrs. Gordon.....		20	00
April	2	Mrs. Chisholm.....		15	00
"	2	Mrs. Grant.....		10	00
"	3	Mrs. Wright.....		15	00
"	3	Mrs. Bethune.....		10	00
"	3	Mrs. Harper.....		15	00
"	3	Mrs. Somerville.....		15	00
"	3	Mrs. Amos Cron.....		15	00
"	3	Mrs. Benedict.....		20	00
"	3	Mrs. D. G. Pringle.....		25	00
"	9	Mrs. Baker.....		20	00
"	9	Mrs. Patterson.....		15	00
"	9	Mrs. Tibbits.....		10	00
"	9	Mrs. McPherson.....		15	00
"	13	Mrs. Walter Beal.....		15	00
				By amount brought forward \$12,565 80	
				\$ cts.	
				By amount carried forward	

BENEVOLENT FUND.. Continued.

1880.

By amount brought forward 12,565 80

\$ 013.

1880.

\$ cts.

April 13—	To pd.	To amount brought forward..	3,187 50
" 13—	"	Bro. Jos. Taylor.....	25 00
" 13—	"	Mrs. Eastman.....	15 00
" 13—	"	Board Relief, Chatham.....	15 00
" 13—	"	Mrs. Scott.....	20 00
" 13—	"	Mrs. W. Hill.....	15 00
" 13—	"	Mrs. Campaigne.....	20 00
" 17—	"	Board Relief, Peterboro'....	25 00
" 21—	"	Bro. James Rous.....	15 00
" 21—	"	Mrs. Hostetter.....	15 00
" 21—	"	Mrs. Fry.....	15 00
" 21—	"	Mrs. Robbin.....	15 00
" 24—	"	Bro. Meyers.....	15 00
" 24..	"	Mrs. Richards.....	20 00
" 24..	"	Mrs. Anderson.....	10 00
May 5..	"	Mrs. W. W. Pringle.....	20 00
" 5..	"	Mrs. Snellgrove.....	15 00
" 5..	"	Mrs. Breimer	15 00
" 5..	"	Mrs. Ormand Skinner.....	15 00
" 5..	"	Mrs. Wills.....	15 00
" 26..	"	Mrs. Ferguson... ..	10 00
" 26..	"	Mrs. G. Smith.....	20 00
" 26..	"	Mrs. T. Kelly.....	20 00
" 26..	"	Mrs. Reid.....	20 00
" 26..	"	Mrs. Wright.....	15 00
" 26..	"	Mrs. Brister.....	10 00
" 26..	"	Mrs. Spence.....	15 00
June 1..	"	Bro. Wm. Sharp.....	15 00
To amount carried forward..			\$3,632 50

By amount carried forward.. \$12,565 80

BENEVOLENT FUND...Continued.

1880.	To pd.	By amount brought forward..	\$	cts.	1880.	By amount brought forward	\$	cts.
June 1..		Mrs. Benedict.....	3,632	50				
" 1..	"	Mrs. R. J. Gill.....	20	00				
" 29..	"	Bro. Perkin.....	15	00				
" 29..	"	Orphans, Bro. Steal.....	20	00				
July 19..	"	Mrs. Moore.....	20	00				
" 19..	"	Mrs. Horsey.....	21	00				
" 24..	"	Board Relief, Hamilton....	100	00				
" 27..	"	Orphan, A. Craib.....	20	00				
" 27..	"	Board Relief, Strathroy....	10	00				
" 27..	"	Orphans, Bro. Booth.....	20	00				
" 28..	"	Board Relief, London.....	90	00				
" 28..	"	Mrs. Chichester.....	20	00				
" 28..	"	Mrs. Miller.....	20	00				
" 28..	"	Mrs. McGhie.....	15	00				
" 28..	"	Mrs. Brand.....	20	00				
" 28..	"	Mrs. Quackenbush.....	15	00				
" 28..	"	Mrs. LeClair.....	10	00				
" 28..	"	Mrs. Leister.....	20	00				
" 29..	"	Mrs. Foley.....	15	00				
" 29..	"	Mrs. Dow.....	15	00				
" 29..	"	Mrs. Moore.....	10	00				
" 29..	"	Mrs. Long.....	20	00				
" 29..	"	Mrs. Westcott.....	10	00				
" 30..	"	Mrs. Child.....	10	00				
" 30..	"	Mrs. Pettit.....	15	00				
" 30..	"	Bro. Farquier.....	15	00				
" 30..	"	Mrs. McRae.....	10	00				
					By amount brought forward 12,565 80			

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

1890.

			\$	cts.
July 30—	To pd.	No amount brought forward..	4,127	50
" 30—	"	Mrs. P. Smith.....	15	00
" 30—	"	Mrs. Hessel.....	15	00
" 30—	"	Mrs. Gammoek.....	20	00
" 30—	"	Mrs. Riggs.....	20	00
" 31—	"	Mrs. Chitham.....	10	00
" 31—	"	Mrs. Davey.....	10	00
" 31—	"	Mrs. Turner.....	15	00
" 31—	"	Mrs. McLellan.....	15	00
" 31—	"	Mrs. Thoburn.....	15	00
" 31—	"	Mrs. Bryant.....	20	00
" 31—	"	Board of Relief, Guelph.....	15	00
" 31—	"	Mrs. Lewis.....	15	00
" 31—	"	Mrs. Geo. Smith.....	20	00
Aug. 2—	"	Bro. Job Tripp.....	25	00
" 2—	"	Mrs. Campaigne.....	20	00
" 2—	"	Mrs. D. Mitchell.....	10	00
" 2—	"	Mrs. McIntyre.....	10	00
" 2—	"	Mrs. Stopleben.....	20	00
" 2—	"	Mrs. Falls.....	15	00
" 2—	"	Mrs. Sproule.....	20	00
" 2—	"	Mrs. Carter.....	15	00
" 2—	"	Mrs. Cockill.....	20	00
" 2—	"	Mrs. Sweeney.....	15	00
" 2—	"	Bro. Hodginson.....	25	00
" 2—	"	Mrs. Hurst.....	15	00
" 2—	"	Mrs. Pickhover.....	10	00
" 2—	"	Mrs. Parney.....	10	00

To amount carried forward .. \$4,562 50

By amount brought forward \$12,565 80

By amount carried forward \$12,565 80

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

1880.		1880.		By amount brought forward.. \$ 12,565 80	
Aug.	To pd.		\$ cts.		
2—		To amount brought forward.....	4,562 50		
"	"	Mrs. Patterson	15 00		
"	"	John W. Hanes.....	15 00		
"	"	Mrs. McDonough.....	15 00		
"	"	Bro. J. Munroe.....	20 00		
"	"	Bro. Reuben C. Martin.....	25 00		
"	"	Mrs. Little.....	15 00		
"	"	Mrs. Preston	20 00		
"	"	Mrs. Coulter.....	15 00		
"	"	Mrs. J. R. McDowell	20 00		
"	"	Mrs. Griffith	10 00		
"	"	Orphans, Stephen Smith	15 00		
"	"	Orphans, Bro. Kennedy.....	20 00		
"	"	Orphans, Bro. Moat.....	20 00		
"	"	Mrs. Clegg	15 00		
"	"	Mrs. Gibson	15 00		
"	"	Board Relief, Toronto	150 00		
"	"	Mrs. Kneeshaw.....	10 00		
"	"	Mrs. Campbell	20 00		
"	"	Mrs. McKenzie	20 00		
"	"	Mrs. Kestivan	15 00		
"	"	Mrs. Alex. Fraser.....	10 00		
"	"	Mrs. Cox.....	20 00		
"	"	Mrs. Nixon.. ..	20 00		
"	"	Board Relief, Galt	10 00		
"	"	Board Relief, Goderich	10 00		
"	"	Mrs. Colver	10 00		
"	"	Bro. James Wilson.	20 00		
				By amount carried forward.. \$12,565 80	

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

1880.

			1880.	\$	cts.
To amount brought forward..				5,132	50
Aug. 4—	To pd.	Bro. Blondheim		25	00
" 4—	"	Bro. Adamson		20	00
" 4—	"	Mrs. Durkie.....		20	00
" 4—	"	Mrs. Goldsmith.....		15	00
" 4—	"	Mrs. Jolly		20	00
" 4—	"	Mrs. Denoid.....		15	00
" 4—	"	Mrs. Tower.....		20	00
" 4—	"	Mrs. Fisher		15	00
" 4—	"	Bro. Howell		25	00
" 4—	"	Mrs. Wallace.....		15	00
" 4—	"	Bro. Shryver.....		25	00
" 4—	"	Mrs. D. B. Pringle.....		20	00
" 4—	"	Miss Nelson		10	00
" 4—	"	Orphans, Bro. Galt		15	00
" 5—	"	Orphans, Bro. Fowler		15	00
" 5—	"	Bro. Tuttle.....		25	00
" 5—	"	Mrs. Tilton		15	00
" 5—	"	Bro. Prentice.....		15	00
" 5—	"	Bro. Donovan.....		25	00
" 5—	"	Mrs. Arnold		10	00
" 5—	"	Mrs. Jackson.....		15	00
" 7—	"	Mrs. Benedict		20	00
" 7—	"	Mrs. Taylor		15	00
" 7—	"	Mrs. Rookledge.....		10	00
" 7—	"	Mrs. Richards		20	00
" 7—	"	Board Relief, St. Thomas....		15	00
" 7—	"	Mrs. J. C. Small		20	00
To amount carried forward..				\$5,612	50
By amount brought forward				12,565	80
				\$	cts.

By amount carried forward.. \$12,565 80

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

1890.		1890.	\$ cts.
Aug.	7—	To amount brought forward	5.612 50
"	7—	Bro. Barclay	25 00
"	7—	Mrs. Wiley	10 00
"	7—	Bro. J. B. Galt	20 00
"	7—	Bro. Bennett	25 00
"	9—	Mrs. Page	20 00
"	9—	Mrs. Hill	20 00
"	9—	Mrs. McDougall	15 00
"	9—	Mrs. B. C. Davey	20 00
"	9—	Bro. W. H. Coaseboom	10 00
"	9—	Mrs. Ferguson	10 00
"	9—	Mrs. Collins	20 00
"	9—	Mrs. Reynolds	15 00
"	9—	Bro. J. H. Weaver	15 00
"	9—	Mrs. Allen	15 00
"	9—	Mrs. Cummins	15 00
"	11—	Mrs. Thos. Mackie	15 00
"	11—	Mrs. Read	15 00
"	11—	Bro. Hurd	25 00
"	12—	Mrs. Robertson	10 00
"	12—	Mrs. Tilt	15 00
"	12—	Bro. McMillan	15 00
"	12—	Bro. Chubbuck	25 00
"	12—	Mrs. O'Camb	20 00
"	12—	Mrs. Dunlop	20 00
"	14—	Mrs. McGregor	20 00
"	14—	Mrs. Cummins	15 00
"	14—	Mrs. Roblin	15 00
		By amount brought forward	12,565 80

By amount carried forward...\$12,565 80

.. and .. \$8,077 50

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

By amount brought forward.. 12,565 80

Aug.	To pd.		\$ cts.
14—		By amount brought forward.....	6,077 50
" 14—	"	Orphans Bro. Steal	20 00
" 14—	"	Mrs. Bethune.....	10 00
" 14—	"	Bro. James Page	15 00
" 14—	"	Bro. Wm. May	20 00
" 16—	"	Mrs. Chalmer.....	15 00
" 16—	"	Board Relief, Peterboro'.....	25 00
" 16—	"	Mrs. Harper	15 00
" 16—	"	Bro. G. Mansfield.....	20 00
" 16—	"	Mrs. Jones.....	15 00
" 16—	"	Bro. Newbold.....	25 00
" 20—	"	Mrs. McCallum.....	15 00
" 20—	"	Mrs. Anderson.....	10 00
" 20—	"	Mrs. Thompson.....	10 00
" 20—	"	Mrs. McGibney.....	15 00
" 20—	"	Mrs. Sutherland	15 00
" 20—	"	Mrs. Martin	20 00
" 20—	"	Bro. Tighe	25 00
" 20—	"	Mrs. Carroll	10 00
" 23—	"	Mrs. Harvey	20 00
" 23—	"	Board Relief, Ottawa	75 00
" 23—	"	Mrs. Hale	10 00
" 29—	"	Mrs. Beal	15 00
" 29—	"	Mrs. Neighswander	20 00
" 29—	"	Mrs. W. Hill.....	15 00
" 29—	"	Mrs. Smythe	15 00
" 29—	"	Mrs. White	15 00
" 31—	"	Bro. Cameron.....	20 00

To amount carried forward.. \$6,582 50

By amount carried forward.. \$12,565 80

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

1880.	To pd.		\$	cts.
Aug. 31—		To amount brought forward...	6,582	50
" 31—	"	Mrs. Snellgrove.....	15	00
" 31—	"	Mrs. Rubidge.....	20	00
Sept. 2—	"	Mrs. Allen.....	20	00
" 2—	"	Mrs. McGibney.....	15	00
" 4—	"	Bro. Bowman.....	20	00
" 4—	"	U. W. Smith.....	25	00
" 4—	"	Mrs. Hilton.....	15	00
" 4—	"	Bro. Tallon.....	20	00
" 8—	"	Mrs. Abbott.....	10	00
" 8—	"	Board of Relief, Kingston....	30	00
" 11—	"	Mrs. Lowry.....	20	00
" 11—	"	Mrs. Pringle.....	20	00
" 11—	"	Mrs. Wood.....	20	00
" 11—	"	Bro. Gordon.....	25	00
" 13—	"	Mrs. Hemphill.....	20	00
" 13—	"	Bro. Halladay.....	15	00
" 13—	"	Mrs. Chisholm.....	15	00
" 22—	"	Mrs. Fidell.....	10	00
" 22—	"	Mrs. Hall.....	15	00
" 22—	"	Bro. Oldham.....	20	00
" 22—	"	Mrs. Rees.....	15	00
" 22—	"	Mrs. Keys.....	15	00
" 29—	"	Mrs. Breimer.....	15	00
" 29—	"	Mrs. Wright.....	15	00
" 29—	"	Mrs. Howard.....	15	00
" 29—	"	John W. Shortt.....	20	00
Oct. 3—	"	Mrs. Horsey.....	20	00
By amount brought forward			12,565	80
			\$	ots.

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\$ cts.

Oct. 16—	To amount brought forward.	7,067	50
" 16—	Bro. Pollock ...	25	00
" 16—	Mrs. Brister	10	00
" 27—	Mrs. Close	10	00
" 27—	Mrs. Skianer	15	00
" 27—	Mrs. Andrews	15	00
Nov. 30—	Board of Relief, Chatham ..	15	00
" 30—	Mrs. Wright	15	00
Dec. 1—	Mrs. O'Neil.....	15	00
" 1—	Mrs. Benedict	20	00
" 1—	Mrs. Howells.....	20	00
" 1—	Mrs. May	10	00
" 1—	Board of Relief, Ingersoll ..	10	00
" 30—	Mrs. Smith..	15	00
" 30—	Mrs. Perie	15	00
" 30—	Mrs. Kelley	20	00
" 30—	Mrs. G. Smith	20	00
" 30—	Mrs. Gill.....	20	00
" 30—	Mrs. Spence	15	00
" 30—	Mrs. Reid	20	00
" 30—	Mrs. Moore.....	20	00
1881.			
Jan. 8—	Mrs. Small.....	20	00
" 8—	Mrs. Little	15	00
" 8—	Bro. James Rous	15	00
" 8—	Mrs. Cosseboom	10	00
" 8—	Mrs. Collier ...	20	00
" 8—	Bro. Hodginson.....	25	00

By amount carried forward.. \$7,497 50

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By amount brought forward.. 12,565 80

By amount carried forward.. 12,565 80

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1881.		1881.		By amount brought forward.....		\$ cts.	
Jan.	8—	To amount brought forward.....				7,497	50
"	8—	Mrs. Tilton.....				15	00
"	8—	Bro. Donovan.....				25	00
"	8—	Mrs. Jones.....				15	00
"	13—	Mrs. Coulter.....				15	00
"	13—	Board of Relief, Guelph.....				15	00
"	13—	Mrs. Stoppleben.....				20	00
"	13—	Mrs. Wallace.....				15	00
"	13—	Mrs. Pringle.....				20	00
"	13—	Mrs. Patterson.....				15	00
"	13—	Board of Relief, Hamilton..				100	00
"	13—	Board of Relief, Strathroy..				10	00
"	13—	Mrs. McPherson.....				15	00
"	13—	Board of Relief, London....				90	00
"	13—	Mrs. Pettit.....				15	00
"	15—	Bro. Gamneck.....				20	00
"	15—	Mrs. Hessel.....				15	00
"	15—	Orphan, Stephen Smith....				15	00
"	15—	Mrs. Long.....				20	00
"	15—	Mrs. Moore.....				10	00
"	15—	Mrs. White.....				15	00
"	15—	Mrs. Clegg.....				15	00
"	15—	Board of Relief, Galt.....				10	00
"	15—	Bro. Farquier.....				15	00
"	18—	Bro. Page.....				15	00
"	18—	Bro. Blondheim.....				25	00
"	18—	Mrs. Benedict.....				20	00
"	18—	Mrs. McDougal.....				15	00
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						forward.....	
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						212,565	
						80	
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						Bramount carried forward	
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						212,565	
						80	

1881.

		To amount brought forward..	\$ cts.
Jan. 18—	To pd. Mrs. Page	8,092 50	
" 18—	" Mrs. Hurst.....	20 00	
" 18—	" Mrs. Dunlop	15 00	
" 18—	" Mrs. Miller	20 00	
" 18—	" Mrs. Child	20 00	
" 18—	" Mrs. D. Mitchell	10 00	
" 18—	" Mrs. LeClair	10 00	
" 18—	" Bro. Geo. Smith	20 00	
" 19—	" Orphans, Bro. Moat.....	20 00	
" 19—	" Mrs. Griffith	10 00	
" 19—	" Mrs. Leister.....	20 00	
" 19—	" Mrs. Turner	15 00	
" 19—	" Bro. Martin	25 00	
" 19—	" Bro. Weaver.....	15 00	
" 19—	" Mrs. Martin	20 00	
" 19—	" Mrs. Smith.....	15 00	
" 19—	" Orphans, Bro. Gott	15 00	
" 19—	" Mrs. Riggs	20 00	
" 19—	" Mrs. McRae	10 00	
" 19—	" Mrs. Westcott	10 00	
" 20—	" Mrs. Campaigne.....	20 00	
" 20—	" Board Relief, Peterboro.....	25 00	
" 20—	" Mrs. McLellan.....	15 00	
" 20—	" Mrs. Quackenbush	15 00	
" 20—	" Mrs. Reid	15 00	
" 20—	" Mrs. Smythe	15 00	
" 20—	" Mrs. McGhie.....	15 00	
To amount carried forward ..			\$8,532 50

1881.

By amount brought forward \$12,565 80

\$ cts.

By amount carried forward \$12,565 80

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

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BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

1881.

By amount brought forward 12,565 80

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\$ cts.

Jan. 22—	To amount brought forward..	8,967 50
" 22—	Mrs. Kneeshaw	10 00
" 22—	Mrs. Goldsmith	15 00
" 22—	Mrs. Cox	20 00
" 22—	Mrs. McKensie	20 00
" 22—	Mrs. Denoid	15 00
" 22—	Mrs. Kestivan	15 00
" 22—	Mrs. Nixon	20 00
" 22—	Mrs. Adamson	20 00
" 22—	Orphans, Bro. Kennedy	20 00
" 22—	Mrs. McCallum	15 00
" 22—	Mrs. Hilton	15 00
" 22—	Board Relief, Toronto	150 00
" 22—	Mrs. Power	20 00
" 22—	Mrs. Campbell	20 00
" 22—	Mrs. Jolly	20 00
" 22—	Mrs. Fisher	15 00
" 22—	Mrs. Jackson	15 00
" 22—	Bro. Howell	25 00
" 22—	Mrs. Frazer	10 00
" 22—	Mrs. Durkie	20 00
" 22—	Mrs. Neighawander	20 00
" 22—	Mrs. McGibney	15 00
" 22—	Mrs. Gibson	15 00
" 22—	Mrs. Bethune	10 00
" 26—	Mrs. Rubidge	20 00
" 26—	Bro. Newbold	25 00
" 26—	Mrs. May	10 00

To amount carried forward.. \$9,562 50

By amount carried forward.. \$12,565 80

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

1881.		1881.		\$	cts.
Jan.	26—	To amount brought forward	..	9,562	50
"	26—	Board of Relief, Ottawa.....		75	00
"	26—	" " London.....		20	00
"	26—	Orphan Alex. Craib		20	00
"	26—	Mrs. O'Camb.....		20	00
"	26—	Mrs. Harvey		20	00
"	26—	Mrs. Beal		15	00
"	26—	Mrs. Hill		20	00
"	26—	Mrs. Taylor		15	00
Feb.	1—	Board of Relief, Goderich		10	00
"	1—	Bro. Pool		20	00
"	1—	Mrs. Bryant		20	00
"	1—	Mrs. Foley.....		15	00
"	1—	Bro. Mansfield		20	00
"	1—	Mrs. Robin.....		15	00
"	1—	Orphans Bro. Steel		20	00
"	1—	Mrs. Sweeney		15	00
"	1—	Mrs. Cockil.....		20	00
"	1—	Mrs. Carter.....		15	00
"	1—	Mrs. Wood.....		20	00
"	1—	Bro. Wilson		20	00
"	2—	Mrs. McGregor.....		20	00
"	2—	Bro. Tighe		25	00
"	2—	Mrs. Tilt.....		15	00
"	2—	Mrs. Falls		15	00
"	2—	Mrs. Anderson		10	00
"	2—	Mrs. Hale		10	00
"	2—	Mrs. Little.....		15	00
				By amount brought forward..	
				12,565 80	
				By amount carried forward...	
				\$12,565 80	
				To amount brought forward..	
				\$10,087 50	

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

1881.

		1881.		\$ cts.	
By amount brought forward...		10,087	50	By amount brought forward.. 12,565 80	
Feb.	2—	To pd.	Bro. Galt	20	00
"	2—	"	Mrs. Robertson.....	10	00
"	2—	"	Bro. Shortt.....	20	00
"	2—	"	Bro. Hemphill	20	00
"	14—	"	Mrs. Davey	20	00
"	14—	"	Mrs. Rees	15	00
"	14—	"	Bro. Oldham	20	00
"	14—	"	Mrs. Dow	15	00
"	14—	"	Board of Relief, Kingston	30	00
"	14—	"	Board of Relief, Ingersoll	10	00
"	14—	"	Mrs. McDowell.....	20	00
"	14—	"	Mrs. Cummins	15	00
"	14—	"	Mrs. Carroll	10	00
"	14—	"	Bro. D. Barclay.....	25	00
"	14—	"	Mrs. C. Bennett	25	00
"	23—	"	Orphans, Bro. Fowler	15	00
"	23—	"	Mrs. Wright	15	00
"	23—	"	Mrs. Close	10	00
"	23—	"	Bro. Bowman.....	20	00
"	23—	"	Mrs. Mackie	15	00
"	23—	"	Mrs. Rooklidge.....	10	00
"	23—	"	Bro. C. Smith	25	00
"	23—	"	Mrs. Chetham	10	00
"	23—	"	Mrs. Abbott	10	00
"	23—	"	Mrs. Hill.....	15	00
"	23—	"	Mrs. Collver	10	00
"	23—	"	Bro. W. May.....	20	00
To amount carried forward..				\$10,537	50
				By amount carried forward.. \$12,565 80	

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

		\$ cts.	
1881.		To amount brought forward...	10,537 50
Mar.	2—	Mrs. Andrews	15 00
"	2—	Mrs. Lowrey	20 00
"	2—	Mrs. Keys	15 00
"	2—	Bro. Gordon	25 00
"	2—	Mrs. Ferguson	10 00
"	2—	Mrs. Allen	15 00
"	2—	Mrs. Hall	15 00
"	2—	Mrs. Pickhover	10 00
"	2—	Mrs. Chisholm	15 00
"	2—	Mrs. Harper	15 00
"	2—	Mrs. Howells	20 00
April	11—	Mrs. Benedict	20 00
"	11—	Mrs. Snellgrove	15 00
"	11—	Bro. Halladay	15 00
"	11—	Bro. W. Pool	20 00
"	11—	Mrs. A. Bell	15 00
"	11—	Mrs. A. Bell	15 00
"	11—	Bro. Cameron	20 00
"	11—	Bro. Hurd	25 00
"	11—	Mrs. Perie	15 00
"	11—	Mrs. Fidell	10 00
May	6—	Mrs. O'Neil	15 00
"	6—	Mrs. Horsey	20 00
"	10—	Mrs. Skinner	15 00
"	10—	Mrs. Leith	15 00
"	10—	Mrs. Kelly	20 00
"	10—	Mrs. Reid	20 00

By amount brought forward 12,565 80

By amount carried forward \$12,565 80

By amount carried forward \$10,992 50

1881.

	1881.	\$ cts.
May 10— To pd.	By amount brought forward .	10,992 50
" 10— "	Mrs. Moore.....	20 00
" 10— "	Mrs. Wright.....	15 00
" 10— "	Mrs. Spence.....	15 00
" 10— "	Mrs. Geo. Smith.....	20 00
" 13— "	Mrs. McPherson.....	15 00
" 31— "	Balance as per Sheet.....	1,488 30
		<u>\$12,565 80</u>
	By amount carried forward..	12,565 80
		<u>\$ cts.</u>

GENERAL ABSTRACT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS.

From 1st January, 1880, to 31st May, 1881.

RECEIPTS.		DISBURSEMENTS.	
Cash in Bank, 1st January, 1880	\$ 5,372 14	General Purposes	\$ 5,976 80
Received by the Grand Secretary and paid over		Benevolence	12,408 75
to the Grand Treasurer	21,499 85	Asylum Fund.....	48 00
		Testimonial to M. W. Bro. Kerr	216 54
		Presentation to Miss Weller in lieu of Testi-	
		monial to the late M. W. Bro. Weller.....	220 00
		Cash in Canadian Bank of Commerce, 31st May,	
		1881	8,001 90
	<u>\$26,871 99</u>		<u>\$26,871 99</u>

BALANCE SHEET, 31ST MAY, 1881.

The Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of Canada, in account with E. MITCHELL, Grand Treasurer.

Stocks, Balance, 31st Dec., 1879.	\$	cts.	General Fund	\$	cts.
General Fund and Benevolence			Asylum Fund: Balance, 31st Decem-		ber, 1879
Investment Fund	\$48,200	00	Add Interest collected	\$8,778	15
Asylum Fund.....	7,200	00		485	40
		55,400 00			
Cash in Canadian Bank of Commerce		8,001 90	Deduct paid Shawenegan Lodge, Three Rivers	9,263	55
				48	00
			Benevolence Investment Account:		
			Balance at 31st Dec., 1879.....	24,201	33
			Add 10% Gross Receipts from 1st January, 1880.....	1,751	21
					25,952 54
			Benevolence, Current Account		1,488 30
					<u>\$63,401 90</u>

RETURNS OF SUBORDINATE LODGES, AS AT 24TH JUNE, 1881.

Lodges marked (a) hold their Installation of Officers on Festival of St. John the Evangelist ; all others on that of St. John, the Baptist

LODGE.	WHERE HELD.	NIGHT OF MEETING.	W. MASTER.	SECRETARY.
2 Niagara.....	Niagara.....	Wednesday on or before f. moon, monthly	E. W. Thompson..	H. L. Anderson.
3 aThe An. St. John's	Kingston	First Thursday.....	Geo. W. Gaden....	Jno. Sutherland.
5 aSussex	Brockville ..	Wednesday on or before f. moon	John Meniah.....	Alex. Stewart.
6 Barton.....	Hamilton	Second Wednesday.....	H. Munzie.....	H. S. Griffin.
7 Union	Grimsby	Thursday on or before f. moon..	A. H. Pettit.....	W. L. Wolverton.
9 aUnion.....	Napanee	Friday on or before full moon...	C. Z. Perry	R. A. Shorey.
10 aNorfolk.....	Simcoe	Tuesday on or before full moon	R. Rochester.....	James F. Wilson.
11 aMoirs	Belleville	Wednesday before full moon....	Robt. Dick.....	H. R. Atkins.
14 aTrue Britons.....	Perth	First Monday	W. J. Pink.....	F. L. Mitchell.
15 St. George's.....	St. Catharines	Tuesday on or before full moon..	J. D. Christie	W. R. Rawlings.
16 aSt. Andrew's	Toronto	Second Tuesday	Wm. Anderson....	L. J. Clark.
17 St. John's	Cobourg	Monday on or before full moon..	Wm. Polson	Jas. T. Hewitt.
18 aPrince Edward ..	Pictou	Thursday on or before full moon	G. N. Rose.....	D. W. Johnston.
20 aSt. John's.....	London.....	Second Tuesday	W. McCadden	M. D. Dawson.
22 aKing Solomon's ..	Toronto.....	Second Thursday.....	J. R. Robertson ..	P. J. Slater.
23 Richmond	Richmond Hill	Monday on or before full moon..	Jas. Reynolds	D. J. Fairbairn.
24 aSt. Francis	Smith's Falls	Friday on or before full moon...	Ogle Cars.....	S. Moag.
25 aIonic	Toronto.....	First Tuesday	E. W Postlethwaite	Jas. R. Roaf.
26 aOntario.....	Port Hope....	Third Thursday	James Evans.....	W. B. Wallace.
27 aStrict Observance.	Hamilton	Third Tuesday.....	Chas. H. Foster ..	O. S. Hillman.
28 aMount Zion.....	Kemptville ..	Wednesday before full moon....	Rich. Chambers ..	Oliver Bascom.
29 aUnited	Brighton	Thursday on or before f. moon..	A. E. Fife	W. A. Mayhew.
30 aComposite	Whitby.....	First Thursday	James Brown.....	Robt. Wilks.
31 aJerusalem.....	Bowmanville..	Wednesday on or before f. moon	W. R. Piggott	Wm. Wright.
32 aAmity	Dunnville....	Wednesday on or after f. moon	W. N. Braund	Robt. Nimmo.
33 aGoderich	Goderich	First Wednesday.....	Harry Bolton.....	John Robertson.
34 aThistle	Amherstburg	Tuesday before full moon.....	Geo. Green.....	John A. Auld.

35 St. John's	Cayuga	Thursday on or after full moon, monthly	Jas. Mitchell	Thos. Bridger.
36 Welland	Tonhill	Thursday on or before full moon	J. O. Emmett	Rich. Page.
37 a King Hiram	Ingersoll	Tuesday on or before full moon	Robert Vance	L. Chapman.
38 a Trent	Trenton	Tuesday before full moon	H. W. Day	Isaac Nelson.
39 a Mount Zion	Brooklin	Tuesday on or before full moon	J. J. Johnstone	A. G. Henderson.
40 a St. John's	Hamilton	Third Thursday	J. B. Bishop	A. Doherty.
41 a St. George's	Kingsville	Thursday on or before full moon	Leonard Malott	Geo. Rumble.
42 a St. George's	London	First Wednesday	Jas. Priddis	R. F. Kingmill.
43 King Solomon's	Woodstock	Tuesday on or before full moon	Jno. Morrison	Geo. Middleditch.
44 a St. Thomas	St. Thomas	First Thursday	A. N. Pettit	A. J. Clark.
45 Brant	Brantford	Tuesday on or before full moon	Wm. Watt, Jr.	Geo. Lindley.
46 a Wellington	Chatham	First Monday	Joseph E. Peers	Jas. Birch.
47 a Great Western	Windsor	Thursday on or before full moon	Donald Grant	Geo. W. Busch.
48 a Madoc	Madoc	Tuesday on or before full moon	J. D. Loomis	Jas. O'Hara.
50 a Coneseon	Coneseon	Friday on or before full moon	T. H. Thornton	R. J. Osborne.
52 Dalhousie	Ottawa	First Tuesday	Cassius Campbell	G. B. Greene.
54 a Vaughan	Maple	Tuesday on or before full moon	L. Richardson	Nat. Shunk.
55 a Merrickville	Merrickville	Tuesday on or before full moon	A. McDonald	C. C. Tallman.
56 Victoria	Sarnia	Tuesday on or before full moon	Jas. Woods	Wm. Williams.
57 a Harmony	Binbrook	Monday after full moon	John Brown, Jr.	Josh Graham.
58 a Dorie	Ottawa	First Wednesday	W. H. Baldwin	V. M. Fisher.
61 a Acacia	Hamilton	Fourth Friday	H. Sweetman	W. W. Greenhill.
62 a St. Andrew's	Caledonia	Wednesday on or before f. moon	R. L. Nelles	W. J. Clark.
63 a St. John's	Carleton Place	Wednesday on or before f. moon	David McNab	Peter McEwen.
64 a Kilwinning	London	Third Thursday	Rev. E. Davis	W. R. Browne.
65 a Rehoboam	Toronto	First Thursday	A. W. Carkeek	D. H. Watt.
66 a Durham	Newcastle	Tuesday on or before full moon	Thos. Venner	E. Simmona.
68 a St. John's	Ingersoll	Thursday on or before full moon	John R. Warnock	Wm. Ewart.
69 Stirling	Stirling	Thursday after full moon	Rich Finch	John S. Black.
72 Alma	Galt	Thursday on or before full moon	Geo. Godfrey	Thos. Patterson.
73 a St. James	St. Marys	First Monday	J. T. Wright	A. Carman.
74 a St. James	Maitland	Monday nearest full moon	John Moore	Chas. B. Lemon.
75 St. John's	Toronto	First Monday	Wm. Simpson	John Orr.
76 a Oxford	Woodstock	Second Wednesday	F. C. Martin	A. S. Ball.

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LODGE.	WHERE HELD.	NIGHT OF MEETING.	W. MASTER.	SECRETARY.
77 aFaithful Brethren	Lindsay	First Friday	Alex. Barton	Thos. Beall.
78 aKing Hiram	Tilsenbury	Wednesday on or before f. moon	G. W. Hare	W. S. Law.
79 aSimcoe	Bradford	Thursday after full moon	J. F. Williams	Chas. Elliot.
80 Albion	Newbury	First Tuesday	John D. Anderson	Joe Mills.
81 aSt. John's	Mt. Brydges	Tuesday on or before full moon	G. B. Parrott	Chas. Northon.
82 St. John's	Paris	Tuesday on or before full moon	John Finlayson	Geo. Angus.
83 aBeaver	Strathroy	Friday on or after full moon	W. H. Armstrong	John Lanfesty, Jr.
84 aClinton	Clinton	Friday on or after full moon	A. Straiton	John McWhirter.
85 Rising Sun	Farmerville	Thursday on or before full moon	J. B. Saunders	I. C. McGuire.
86 aWilson	Toronto	Third Tuesday	H. Sheard	Jas. Raffin.
87 Markham Union	Markham	Friday on or before full moon	G. R. Vanzant	A. A. Speight.
88 St. George's	Owen Sound	Wednesday on or before f. moon	R. W. Knight	J. C. Crane.
89 King Hiram	Lindsay	Third Friday	C. L. Coulter	Edward Flood.
90 aManito	Collingwood	Wednesday on or after f. moon	Wm. A. Anderson	Theo. Laurence.
91 aColborne	Colborne	Friday on or before full moon	Wm. L. King	Geo. Keyes.
92 aCataqui	Kingston	Second Wednesday	E. S. Boyden	D. Callaghan.
93 aNorthern Light	Kincardine	First Wednesday	Ben. Freer	R. D. Hall.
94 aSt. Mark's	Port Stanley	Second Tuesday	H. Ellison	R. R. Goulding.
95 Ridout	Otterville	Thursday on or before full moon	W. F. Kay	M. Durkee.
96 aCorinthian	Barrie	First Thursday	Jas. Ward	Wm. Todd.
97 aSharon	Sharon	Tuesday on or before full moon	Jas. Wayling	Wm. Dodda.
98 True Blue	Albion	Friday on or before full moon	W. J. Dixon	S. J. Snell.
99 aTuscan	Newmarket	Second Wednesday	R. M. Cooper	N. J. Kersewell.
100 Valley	Dundas	Monday on or before full moon	H. Bickford	Geo. Coote.



108/aBarford	Barford	Wednesday on or before f. moon	W. G. Nellis	W. F. Miles
107 St. Paul's	Lambeth	Wednesday on or before f. moon	Allan Boyne	Jno. Thornicroft.
108 Blenheim	Drumbo	Wednesday on or before f. moon	J. A. Patten	Jos. A. Patten.
109 aAlbion	Harrowamith	Friday on or before full moon	John G. Ewart	Jas. Cooke.
110 aCentral	Prescott	First Tuesday	C. C. Brouse	C. Plumb, jr.
112 Maitland	Goderich	Second Tuesday	Richard Radcliffe	H. Clunia.
113 aWilson	Waterford	Wednesday on or before f. moon	E. H. Long	E. W. Burgess.
114 aHope	Port Hope	First Thursday	Robt. Nichols	W. Gethwaite.
115 aIvy	Beamsville	Tuesday on or before f. moon	Wm. Gibson	Jas. Allan.
116 aCassia	Thedford	Monday on or before f. moon	Geo. Watts	W. G. Rackman.
118 Union	Schomberg	Monday on or before f. moon	F. D. Ramsay	J. R. Bond.
119 aMaple Leaf	Bath	Monday before full moon	Thos. A. Seward	Chas. L. Rogers.
120 Warren	Fingal	First Tuesday	M. Campbell	W. A. Doyle.
121 aDoric	Brantford	Friday on or before full moon	Robt. Ashton	Jas. P. Excell.
122 aRenfrew	Renfrew	First Monday	E. Mayhew	Hugh Carey.
123 The Belleville	Belleville	First Thursday	Jas. Macoun	Wm. McKeown.
125 aCornwall	Cornwall	First Tuesday	A. F. Milliken	E. L. Dickinson.
126 aGolden Rule	Campbellford	Tuesday on or before full moon	J. W. Byam	A. G. Knight.
127 Franck	Frankfort	Monday before full moon	G. E. R. Wilson	D. A. Clark.
128 aPembroke	Pembroke	First Thursday	Alex. H. Horn	Robt. C. Miller.
129 The Rising Sun	Aurora	First Friday	Rev C. W. Paterson	S. H. Ashton.
131 St. Lawrence	Southampton	Tuesday on or after full moon	J. H. Deacon	Wm. Smith.
133 aLebanon Forest	Exeter	Monday on or before full moon	W. D. Bright	M. Eacrett.
135 aSt. Clair	Milton	Thursday on or before full moon	John Lyon	E. Dixon.
136 Richardson	Steeffville	Wednesday on or before f. moon	John Urquhart	D. McMurchy.
137 aPythagoras	Meaford	Friday nearest full moon	Thos. Aris	W. W. Stephen.
139 Lebanon	Oshawa	Second Tuesday	Robt. McCaw	Robt. Gott.
140 aMalabide	Aylmer	Wednesday on or before f. moon	L. N. Ellis	S. S. Clatton.
141 aTudor	Mitchell	Tuesday before full moon	Fred. Butcher	W. R. Davis.
142 aExceleior	Morrisburg	Thursday on or before full moon	John Cryan	W. A. Nash.
143 aFriendly Brothers	Iroquois	Wednesday before full moon	Thos. A. Thompson	John N. Tuttle.
144 aTecumseh	Stratford	First Thursday	C. McLellan	J. M. Struthers.
145 aJ. B. Hall	Millbrook	Second Thursday	John Hunter	John C. Kella.
146 aPrinces of Wales	Newburgh	Wednesday before full moon	B. W. Longmore	W. Grange.

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147 a Mississippi	Almonte	First Friday	J. M. Munro	Thos. Coulter.
148 a Civil Service	Ottawa	Second Tuesday	L. W. P. Coulter	La F. A. Maingy.
149 a Erie	Port Dover	Monday on or before full moon	H. W. Analey	W. R. Reid.
150 a Hastings	Hastings	Thursday on or before full moon	John Breckenridge	Alex. Wilson, Jr.
151 The Grand River	Berlin	Tuesday on or before full moon	J. M. Scully	F. P. Garrison.
153 a Barns	Wyoming	Thursday on or before full moon	A. N. Wood	Geo Ward.
154 a Irving	Lucan	Thursday on or before full moon	W. Quigley	J. P. Atkinson.
155 a Peterborough	Peterboro'	First Friday	Wm. Toole	Sammel White.
156 a York	Eglinton	Friday on or before full moon	Jas. E. Hopkings	T. J. Best.
157 Simpson	Newboro'	Tuesday on or before full moon	J. R. Dargavel	J. M. McGuigan.
158 a Alexandra	Oil Springs	Thursday on or after full moon	John McIister	Wm. Smyth.
159 a Goodwood	Richmond	First Tuesday	John Satebell	H. Rielly.
161 a Percy	Warkworth	Wednesday before full moon	Fred. K. Bailey	N. D. Richards.
162 Forest	Wrexeter	Monday on or before full moon	David M. Walker	David Hood.
164 a Star in the East	Wellington	Tuesday on or before full moon	B. H. Young	John Wilson.
165 a Burlington	Burlington	Wednesday on or before 1. moon	Wm. Kearns	Frederick Bray.
166 a Wentworth	Stoney Creek	Monday on or before full moon	H. Murray	W. M. Thornton.
168 a Merritt	Welland	Monday on or before full moon	E. H. Bargar	D. D. Hooper.
169 a Macnab	Pt. Colborne	Tuesday on or before full moon	R. Greenwood	R. S. Cleveland.
170 a Britannia	Seaforth	First Monday	H. Cameron	D. D. Rose.
171 a Prince of Wales	Iona	Friday on or after full moon	Samuel Weldon	Neil Dewar.
172 a Ayr	Ayr	Tuesday on or before full moon	Geo. D. Lewis	John G. Watson.
174 a Walsingham	Port Rowan	First Thursday	Jas. Louch	Wm. Ross.
176 Spartan	Sparta	Monday on or before full moon	G. H. Haight	P. B. Fothergill.
177 The Builders	Ottawa	Second Friday	J. C. Kearns	H. H. Cairns.
178 a Plattsville	Plattsville	Friday on or before full moon	George Risk	R. J. Bouchier.
179 a Bothwell	Bothwell	Wednesday on or before 1. moon	H. F. Smith	W. N. Johnston.
180 a Speed	Guelph	First Tuesday	John Secon	J. Mimmack.

181	aOriental	Port Burwell	Tuesday on or before full moon	monthly	M. G. Burwell	W. A. Griffin.
183	aPrince Albert	Port Perry	Friday on or before full moon	"	D. Leedingham	Wm. Spence.
184	aOld Light	Lacknow	Thursday on or before f. moon	"	D. McKinnou	R. L. Hunter.
185	aEnniskillen	York	Monday on or before f. moon	"	Wm. Clark	John Senn.
186	aPlantaganet	Plantaganet	Monday on or before f. moon	"	W. A. Chamberlain	George Hoge.
189	aFilius Vidua	Adoldhurst'n	Wednesday on or before f. moon	"	Wm. H. Dame	M. B. Ingersoll.
190	Belmont	Belmont	Friday on or before full moon	"	A. C. McIntyre	Rev. A. L. Fortin.
192	aOrillia	Orillia	Friday on or after full moon	"	A. J. Alport	B. F. Keen.
193	aScotland	Scotland	Monday on or before f. moon	"	Rev. Wm. Hay	M. Malcolm.
194	aPetrolia	Petrolia	Second Wednesday	"	Jas. McLurg	W. McGilvary.
195	aThe Tuscan	London	First Friday	"	John Taylor	Thos. Beattie.
196	aMadawaska	Arnprior	Thursday on or before f. moon	"	Geo. E. Neilson	J. G. Cranston.
197	aSaugeen	Walkerton	Second Tuesday	"	J. F. H. Gunn	Wm. Allardice.
198	aWhite Oak	Oakville	Tuesday on or before f. moon	"	C. Armstrong	C. W. Pearce.
200	St. Albans	Mount Forest	Friday on or before full moon	"	W. W. Winfield	Wm. Kilgour.
201	aLeeds	Gananoque	Tuesday on or before moon	"	Clare L. Worrell	Jas. Hayward.
203	Irvine	Elora	Friday before full moon	"	John McDonald	Thos. P. Smith.
205	New Dominion	New Hamburg	Monday on or after full moon	"	Jacob Seyler	O. Pressprich.
207	aLancaster	Lancaster	Saturday on or before f. moon	"	John Urquhart	W. A. McArthur.
208a	aSt. John's	London	Second Thursday	"	H. C. Owen	John Siddons.
209	Evergreen	Lanark	First Tuesday	"	Jas. M. Caldwell	Wm. A. Field.
210	aHawkesbury	Hawkesbury	Wednesday on or before f. moon	"	James Ryan	R. McFarlane.
212	aElyria	Garden Island	First Monday	"	Duncan Bole	A. Malone.
213	aDominion	Ridgeway	Wednesday on or before f. moon	"	W. M. Sloan	C. H. Mathews.
214	aCraig	Ailsa Craig	Monday on or after full moon	"	J. R. Anderson	W. M. Alexander.
215	Lake	Ameliasburg	Monday on or before f. moon	"	B. Rothwell	J. Coleman.
216	aHarris	Orangetown	Tuesday on or before f. moon	"	J. C. Fox	George Irwin.
217	aFrederick	Delhi	Monday on or before f. moon	"	Jos. L. Brown	Jacob Sovereign.
218	aStevenson	Toronto	Second Monday	"	A. Donaldson	J. A. Austin.
219	aCredit	Georgetown	Friday on or before full moon	"	Wm. Freeman	J. G. Harley.
220	aZerodatha	Uxbridge	Monday on or before full moon	"	D. M. Card	J. Summerville.
221	aMountain	Thorold	Wednesday on or before f. moon	"	Wm. Winslow	Wm. F. Fish.
222	aMarmora	Marmora	Tuesday before full moon	"	J. L. Aunger	D. Fletcher.
223	aNorwood	Norwood	Tuesday on or before full moon	"	W. E. Roxburgh	Thos. Burke.

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224 aZurich	Zurich	Saturday on or before full moon monthly	C. Benedict	Sam. Foster.
225 aBernard	Listowel	Wednesday on or before f. moon	S. M. Smith	H. Bartlett.
228 aPrince Arthur	Odessa	Monday after full moon	N. Smith	J. A. McKay.
229 aIonic	Brampton	Wednesday on or before f. moon	A. J. Little	W. W. Woods.
230 aKerr	Bell Ewart	Tuesday on or after full moon ..	John Gordon	C. W. Bellry.
231 Lodge of Fidelity ..	Ottawa	Second Wednesday	F. H. Leggatt	W. C. Teague.
232 aCameron	Wallacetown ..	Wednesday on or before f. moon	Robt. Jordan	Neil McLean.
233 aDoric	Park Hill	Tuesday on or before full moon	E. N. Bigg	T. L. Rogers.
234 aBeaver	Clarkaburg	Tuesday on or after full moon ..	Chas. Pye	J. H. Dickenson.
235 Aldworth	Paialey	Friday on or before full moon ..	W. E. Valentine ..	F. Sinclair.
236 aManitoba	Bondhead	Tuesday on or after full moon ..	A. H. Carter	W. R. Jamison.
237 Vienna	Vienna	Friday before full moon	J. H. Teall	John Dean.
238 Havelock	Watford	Tuesday before full moon	Richard Dixie	D. J. Campbell.
239 Tweed	Tweed	Friday on or before full moon ..	Geo. Easterbrook ..	Wm. Wray.
241 aQuinte	Shannonville ..	Tuesday on or after full moon ..	John Kemp	C. E. Clark.
242 aMacoy	Escott Front ..	Monday on or before full moon ..	F. Dowley	M. J. Connolly.
243 aSt. George	St. George	Thursday on or before full moon	E. E. Kitchen	Geo. Foreyth.
245 Tecumseh	Thamesville ..	Tuesday on or before full moon	John Davidson	A. J. Campbell.
247 aAshlar	Yorkville	Fourth Tuesday	Alex. Dixon	R. H. Matson.
248 Eureka	Pakenham	Wednesday after f. moon	R. Burns	J. A. Scott.
249 aCaledonian	Angus	Tuesday on or after full moon ..	Jas. H. Hatch	John Pengelly.
250 Thistle	Embro	Thursday on or before f. moon ..	S. S. Willson	Geo. Jamieson.
253 aMinden	Kingston	First Monday	F. Welch	G. W. Andrews.
254 Clifton	Clifton	Thursday on or before f. moon ..	John Mills	L. Sewell.
255 Sydenham	Dresden	Wednesday on or after f. moon	D. V. Hicks	S. J. Ball.
256 aFarran's Point ..	Farran's Point ..	First Wednesday	Geo. P. Eaman	S. F. Stata.
257 aGalt	Galt	Tuesday on or before full moon	D. Robertson	John Kirk.
258 aGuelph	Guelph	Second Tuesday	J. H. Finlay	J. B. Sptera.
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Springfield	Monday on or before f. moon.	monthly
255 Springfield	First Tuesday	N. Burgess
260 a Washington	Thursday on or before full moon	A. McDonald
261 a Oak Branch	Monday on or after full moon	E. W. Town
262 a Harrison	Wednesday on or before f. moon	H. Leighton
263 a Forest	First Monday	R. A. Hill
264 a Chaudiere	Thursday on or before full moon	P. N. Mason
265 Patterson	Tuesday before full moon	W. R. Bowman
266 a Northern Light	First Wednesday	R. M. Perrine
267 a Parthenon	Last Friday	W. H. Sparling
268 a Verulam	Wednesday on or after f. moon	J. H. Thompson
269 a Brougham Union	Fourth Tuesday	Richard Stokes
270 a Cedar	Wednesday on or before f. moon	H. B. F. Odell
271 Wellington	Monday on or before f. moon	Jas. Hamilton
272 Seymour	Friday on or before full moon	Henry Orton
274 a Kent	Wednesday on or before f. moon	Henry Faust
276 Teeswater	Thursday on or before full moon	A. H. Thacker
277 a Seymour	Friday on or before full moon	Robt. Patterson
278 Mystic	Wednesday on or before f. moon	A. McMullen
279 New Hope	Thursday before full moon	Chris. Pabst
280 Mount Sinai	Wednesday on or before f. moon	A. H. Allison
281 a Thorne	First Thursday	D. L. Ellerby
282 Lorne	First Tuesday	G. M. Harrison
283 a Eureka	Thursday on or before full moon	J. H. Simpson
284 a St. John's	Wednesday after f. moon	Geo. Devison
285 Seven Star	Tuesday on or before full moon	Wm. Wright
286 a Wingham	Wednesday on or before f. moon	W. T. Bray
287 a Shuniah	Tuesday before full moon	S. W. Ray
289 a Doric	Tuesday on or before full moon	Joe. Irvine
290 a Leamington	Thursday on or before full moon	W. C. Coulson
291 a Dufferin	Tuesday on or before full moon	David Bell
292 a Robertson	Thursday on or before full moon	Jas. D. Stevenson
293 a Royal Sol. Mother	Wednesday on or before f. moon	Sam. Bergum
294 a Moore	First Wednesday	John Linton
295 Conestogo	Thursday on or before f. moon	Chas. Hendry, jr.
	Tuesday on or after full moon	

J. B. Lucas.
A. T. Gurd.
Thos. Welch.
R. G. Lamert.
H. Wagar.
W. A. Jamieson.
T. H. Cooper.
H. W. Selby.
Chas. Dunlop.
John L. Reed.
Rev. T. Booker.
L. K. Munton.
Wm. Conboy.
Ed. Kenrick.
B. F. Sutherland.
Thos. Fairbairn.
John Green.
Sam. Hudson.
Ed. Bolduc.
A. L. Morden.
O. Floyd.
C. W. Barrington.
Wm. Webster.
Alex. Duncan.
P. C. Macnee.
H. E. Millard.
Geo. H. Kennedy.
T. R. Powell.
W. E. Janson.
Geo. M. Briggs.
Jas. Cherry, jr.
Wm. Elise.
Jas. W. Bowman.
Rich. Russell, jr.

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296 a Temple	St. Catharines	Last Wednesday	W. C. Copeland ..	L. R. Smith.
297 Preston	Preston	Friday on or before full moon .	Carl E. Klotz, actg.	H. Von Ende.
299 Victoria	Centreville ..	Thursday on or before f. moon..	H. A. Baker	Jas. M. Smith.
300 a Mount Olivet ..	Thorndale ..	Tuesday on or before full moon	Wm. Harrison	S. S. Murray.
301 a Hanover	Hanover	Monday on or before full moon..	J. J. James	F. A. Bowles.
302 St. David's	St. Thomas ..	Monday on or after full moon..	J. Z. Long	H. Thomas.
303 a Blythe	Blythe	Tuesday on or after full moon .	Oliver Yeung	J. A. Anderson.
304 a Minerva	Craigvale	Tuesday on or after full moon..	Robt. King	W. Cumner.
305 a Humber	Weston	Wednesday on or before f. moon	Edwd. Eagle	Jas. Cruickshank.
306 Durham	Durham	Tuesday on or before full moon	H. W. Mockler	Geo. Russell.
307 a Arkona	Arkona	Thursday on or before full moon	A. W. Augustine..	S. Roulston.
308 a Grafton	Grafton	Tuesday on or before full moon	Thos. N. Webster ..	Wm. Lawless.
309 a Morning Star ..	Smith's Hill..	Wednesday on or before f. moon	Alex. Robertson ..	John F. Cowan.
311 a Blackwood	Woodbridge ..	Friday on or before full moon..	J. Wilkinson	Geo. Mason.
312 a Pnyx	Walleceburg ..	Monday on or before full moon	Harvey Morris	R. T. Reddell.
313 a Clementi	Lakesfield	First Tuesday	Thos. Sargent	Alex. Bell.
314 a Blair	Palmerston ..	Friday after full moon	H. Hyndman	A. C. Paterson.
315 Clifford	Clifford	Third Monday	J. S. Dewar	K. M. Walton.
316 a Doric	Toronto	Third Wednesday	W. G. Munton	E. J. Lennox.
317 a The Hiram	Dundas	Second Tuesday	W. P. Crawford ..	O. S. Clarke.
318 Wilmot	Baden	Friday on or after full moon....	Philip Erbach	H. Lierech.
319 a Hiram	Cheapside	Wednesday on or before f. moon	Geo. Sherk	Alf. Goodwin.
320 a Chesterville	Chesterfield ..	Monday on or before full moon	Jas. Holmes	J. C. Merkle.
321 a Walker	Acton West..	Monday on or before full moon	John Shaw	W. T. Smyth.
322 a North Star	Owen Sound..	Wednesday after full moon....	Robt. Edgar	Jas. Caton.
323 a Alvinston	Alvinston	Tuesday on or after full moon..	John McTaggart ..	Thos. Cahill.
324 a Temple	Hamilton	Fourth Monday	Chas. Lemon	C. W. Mulligan.
325 a Orono	Orono	Thursday on or before f. moon..	Jas. Rutherford ..	A. J. Lockhart.

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326 aZetland.....	Toronto	Fourth Friday.....	monthly E. T. Malone.....	John B. Hay.
327 The Hammond	Wardaville	Third Tuesday	" D. R. McGeegan	D. Johnson.
328 Ionic	Napier	Friday before full moon.....	" Jas. W. Cameron.....	H. Thompson.
329 aKing Solomon.....	Jarvis	Friday on or before full moon ..	" J. D. Crichton	David Hill.
330 aCorinthian	London East..	First Tuesday	" E. C. Simpson	B. W. Hamilton.
331 Fordwich	Fordwich	Thursday on or before full moon	" R. R. Hopkins	Jas. Foster.
332 Stratford	Stratford	Second Monday	" W. G. Mowat	J. Baker.
333 Prince Arthur	Flesherton ..	Friday on or after full moon....	" W. J. McFarland..	Thos. Mullarky.
334 aPrince Arthur.....	Arthur	Tuesday on or before f. moon....	" Alex. Fraser	R. D. Kirk.
335 aLangton	Langton	Monday on or before full moon..	" O. D. D. Witt	J. McKinlay.
336 aHighgate	Highgate	First Thursday	" John Lee	A. DeCow.
337 aMyrtle	Port Robinson	Tuesday on or before full moon..	" R. Coulter.....	E. H. Robertson.
338 Dufferin	Welland Port.	Tuesday on or before full moon	" D. C. Holmer	John E. Cohoe.
339 aOrient	Don Mount ..	First Tuesday	" John Jones.....	J. McP. Ross.
340 aSt. John's.....	Pittsburg	Wednesday on or before f. moon	" Rev. John Gallaher	Alf. Brown.
341 aBruce	Tiverton	Tuesday on or before full moon.	" J. Rae Paterson ..	A. J. Paterson.
342 Hiram.....	Wolfe Island..	Friday on or before f. moon	" James Horne.....	H. O. Hitchcock.
343 Georgina.....	Sutton	Thursday on or after f. moon..	" Alex. Williams.....	H. K. Spooner.
344 Merrill	Dorchester's Stn	Thursday on or before full moon	" John Durand.....	W. H. Shaw.
345 Nilestown	Nilestown ..	Tuesday on or before full moon.	" A. R. Rowat.....	W. S. Niles.
346 aOccident	Toronto	First Wednesday.....	" Jas. Wilson	W. Walker.
347 aMercer	Fergus	Thursday after full moon.....	" John Tindale.....	Harry Vincent.
348 aGeorgian	Penetang'shne	Thursday on or before full moon	" John J. Buckley ..	H. Jennings.
349 aElgin.....	St. Thomas ..	Second Tuesday	" Alf. Ware	Samuel Dubber.
350 aPort Elgin	Port Elgin ..	Friday on or before full moon..	" W. Mitchell	J. A. McArthur.
351 aSt. Marys	St. Marys ..	Third Monday	" J. E. Harding	W. Williams.
352 Granite	Parry Sound..	Wednesday on or before f. moon	" Wm. McGown	C. A. Schofield.
353 Excelsior	Colborne ..	First Wednesday.....	" W. L. Payne.....	T. W. Cumming.
354 aBrook	Cannington ..	Wednesday on or before f. moon	" A. E. Hirschfelder.	E. Sandison.
355 Clandeboye	Perth.....	Third Monday	" J. F. Kennedy	J. A. McAllister.
356 aRiver Park	Streetsville ..	Tuesday on or before full moon	" Robt. Cornish	B. Grennan.
357 Waterdown	Waterdown ..	Tuesday on or before full moon	" Geo. Baker.....	T. J. Baker.
358 aDelaware Valley..	Delaware	Friday on or before full moon..	" J. F. H. Bullen....	W. C. Harris.
359 aVittoria	Vittoria	Friday on or before full moon ..	" Fred. Cape.....	Alex. McLean.

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360 Muskoka	Bracebridge ..	Tuesday on or before full moon.. monthly	Sam. Bridgland ..	J. W. Dill.
361 a Waverley	Guelph	Third Monday	Adam Weir, jr.	Jas. Davison.
362 a Maple Leaf	Tara	Monday on or before full moon..	Z. Williamson	J. W. Jamieson.
363 a Frontenac	Catawaqui	Tuesday on or before f. moon ..	Jas. F. Gibson	W. J. Purdy.
364 a Dufferin	Melbourne ..	Wednesday on or before f. moon ..	D. McRae	Jno. M. Cornett.
365 North Star	Roseneath ..	Tuesday on or before f. moon ..	Thos. Lean	Jno. Thackery.
366 a Euclid	Strathroy	Thursday before full moon.....	John Paine	D. M. Telford.
367 a St. George	Toronto	First Friday	John A. Wills	Jno. Hetherington.
368 Salem	Brookville ..	Second Monday	Jas. Reynolds	Robt. Gwynne.
369 a Mimico	Lambton	Tuesday before full moon	J. G. Burns	C. Clayton.
370 Harmony	Delta	Wednesday on or after f. moon..	John M. Sinclair ..	John E. Brown.
371 a Prince of Wales ..	Ottawa	Second Thursday	P. A. McDowal ..	Wm. Northwood.
372 a Palmer	Victoria	Tuesday on or after full moon.	Wm. Thompson ..	Alfred Green
373 a Copstone	Welland	First Thursday	M. W. Bridgeman..	L. P. Wilson.
374 a Keene	Keene	First Thursday	M. M. P. Dean	R. English.
375 a Lorne	Omamee	First Thursday	G. McWilliams	W. H. English.
376 Unity	Huntsville ..	First Wednesday	D. M. Card	B. G. Beattie.
377 a Lorne	Shelburne	Wednesday after full moon	J. F. Belfry	F. J. Campbell.
378 King Solomon's	Petersville ..	Third Wednesday	Peter Grant	J. W. Burries.
379 Middlesex	Bryanston ..	Wednesday on or before f. moon ..	Isaac Nicholson	Chas. Guest.
380 Union	London	Second Monday	L. G. Jarvis	A. C. Stewart.
381 Kinistino	Prince Albert	First Friday	Chas. F. Young ..	J. M. Coombs.
382 Doric	Hamilton	Third Monday	R. L. Gunn	R. E. Gallaher.
383 Henderson	W. Winchester	First Tuesday	E. L. White	J. A. Waterson.
384 Alpha	Parkdale	First Thursday	Joh. Gray	Wm. Fahy.
385 Spry	Boston	Wednesday on or after f. moon ..	W. H. Dickson	E. B. Borland.
386 McColl	West Lorne ..	Wednesday after full moon	A. S. K. Barclay ..	J. A. Bradley.
387 Lanadown	Lanadown ..	Thursday on or before f. moon..	Robt. B. Aylsworth	

388 Henderson...	Uderton	Thursday after full moon.....	monthly	Robt. Patterson	Samuel Levitt.
389 Crystal Fountain...	N'rth Augusta	Wednesday on or before f. moon	"	John Chapman	Gideon Carpenter.
390 Florence.....	Florence	Tuesday on or before full moon	"	Wm. E. Norton	F. Boutne
391 Howard	Ridgetown	Second Thursday.....	"	Duncan Cochrane	Robt. C. Young.
392 Haron.....	Cambridge	Wednesday on or after full moon	"	D. C. McIntyre	Alva Trueter.
393 Forest.....	Chester	First Tuesday	"	Jabez Stephens	Jas. Shields.
394 King Solomon	Thamesford	Tuesday after full moon.....	"	Matthew Day	John G. McKay.
395 Parvaim	Camber	Thursday on or before full moon	"	Rodney H. Abbott.	W. J. S. Holwell.
Ud Cedar	Warton	Tuesday on or before full moon	"	John Irwin.....	R. B. Miller.

LIST OF LODGES—BY DISTRICTS.

NO. 1.—ST. CLAIR DISTRICT. (27.)

Counties of Essex, Kent, Lambton and Bothwell.

D. D. G. M.—R. W. Bro. T. C. Macnabb, Chatham.

No.	34, Thistle, Amherstburg	Essex County.
"	41, St George's, Kingsville	" "
"	47, Great Western, Windsor	" "
"	290, Leamington, Leamington	" "
"	395, Parvaim, Comber	" "
"	46, Wellington, Chatham	Kent County.
"	245, Tecumseh, Thamesville	" "
"	255, Sydenham, Dresden	" "
"	267, Parthenon, Chatham	" "
"	274, Kent, Blenheim	" "
"	312, Pnyx, Wallaceburg	" "
"	336, Highgate, Highgate	" "
"	56, Victoria, Sarnia	Lambton County
"	116, Cassia, Thedford	" "
"	153, Burns, Wyoming	" "
"	158, Alexandra, Oil Springs	" "
"	194, Petrolia, Petrolia	" "
"	238, Havelock, Watford	" "
"	260, Washington, Petrolia	" "
"	263, Forest, Forest	" "
"	294, Moore, Mooretown	" "
"	307, Arkona, Arkona	" "
"	323, Alvinston, Alvinston	" "
"	390, Florence, Florence	" "
"	392, Huron, Oalmachie	" "
"	179, Bothwell, Bothwell	Bothwell County
"	391, Howard, Ridgetown	" "

NO. 2—LONDON DISTRICT. (39.)

Counties of Middlesex and Elgin, except the Township Bayham.

D. D. G. M.—R. W. Bro. William Milner, Strathroy.

20, St. John's, London	Middlesex County.
42, St. George's, London	" "
64, Kilwinning, London	" "
90, Albion, Newbury	" "
81, St. John's, Mount Brydges.....	" "
83, Beaver, Strathroy	" "
107, St. Paul's, Lambeth	" "
154, Irving, Lucan.....	" "
190, Belmont, Belmont.....	" "
195, Tuscan, London.....	" "
209a, St. John's, London	" "
214, Craig, Ailsa Craig	" "
233, Doric, Park Hill	" "
282, Lorne, Glencoe	" "
289, Doric, Lobo	" "
300, Mount Olivet, Thorndale.....	" "
327, The Hammond, Wardsville.....	" "
328, Ionic, Napier	" "
330, Corinthian, London East	" "
344, Merrill, Dorchester Station.....	" "
345, Nilestown, Nilestown	" "
358, Delaware Valley, Delaware	" "
364, Dufferin, Melbourne.....	" "
366, Euclid, Strathroy	" "
378, King Solomon's, Petersville	" "
379, Middlesex, Bryanston	" "
380, Union, London	" "
388, Henderson, Ilderton.....	" "
44, St. Thomas, St. Thomas	Elgin County.
94, St. Mark's, Port Stanley.....	" "
120, Warren, Fingal	" "
140, Malahide, Aylmer	" "
171, Prince of Wales, Iona	" "
176, Spartan, Sparta	" "
232, Cameron, Wallacetown	" "
259, Springfield, Springfield.....	" "
302, St. David's, St. Thomas	" "
349, Elgin, St. Thomas	" "
386, McColl, West Lorne	" "

NO. 3—WILSON DISTRICT. (27.)

Counties of Norfolk, Oxford, Brant, and Township of Bayham
in Elgin.

D. D. G. M.—R. W. Bro. George C. Eden, Woodstock.

No.	10, Norfolk, Simcoe.....	Norfolk County.
"	113, Wilson, Waterford	" "
"	140, Erie, Port Dover	" "
"	174, Walsingham, Port Rowan	" "
"	217, Frederick, Delhi	" "
"	335, Langton, Langton	" "
"	359, Vittoria, Vittoria	" "
"	37, King Hiram, Ingersoll	Oxford County.
"	43, King Solomon, Woodstock	" "
"	68, St. John's, Ingersoll.....	" "
"	76, Oxford, Woodstock	" "
"	78, King Hiram, Tilsonburg	" "
"	95, Ridout, Otterville	" "
"	104, St. John's, Norwichville	" "
"	108, Blenheim, Drumbo	" "
"	178, Plattsville, Plattsville	" "
"	250, Thistle, Embro	" "
"	261, Oak Branch, Innerkip	" "
"	394, King Solomon, Thamesford.....	" "
"	45, Brant, Brantford	Brant County.
"	82, St. John's, Paris	" "
"	106, Burford, Burford	" "
"	121, Doric, Brantford	" "
"	193, Scotland, Scotland.....	" "
"	243, St. George, St. George	" "
"	181, Oriental, Port Burwell	Elgin County.
"	237, Vienna, Vienna	" "

NO. 4—HURON DISTRICT. (30.)

Counties of Huron, Perth and Bruce.

D. D. G. M.—R. W. Bro. DeWitt H. Martyn, M. D., Kincardine.

No.	33, Goderich, Goderich	Huron County.
"	84, Clinton, Clinton	" "
"	112, Maitland, Goderich	" "
"	133, Lebanon Forest, Exeter	" "
"	162, Forest, Wroxeter	" "
"	170, Britannia, Seaforth	" "
"	224, Zurich, Zurich	" "
"	284, St. John's, Brussels	" "
"	286, Wingham, Wingham	" "
"	303, Blyth, Blyth	" "
"	309, Morning Star, Smith's Hill	" "
"	331, Fordwich, Fordwich	" "
"	73, St. James, St. Mary's	Perth County.
"	141, Tudor, Mitchell	" "
"	144, Tecumseh, Stratford	" "
"	225, Bernard, Listowel	" "
"	332, Stratford, Stratford	" "
"	351, St. Mary's, St. Mary's	" "
"	93, Northern Light, Kincardine	Bruce County.
"	131, St. Lawrence, Southampton	" "
"	184, Old Light, Lucknow	" "
"	197, Saugeen, Walkerton	" "
"	235, Aldworth, Paisley	" "
"	276, Teeswater, Teeswater	" "
"	301, Hanover, Hanover	" "
"	341, Bruce, Tiverton	" "
"	350, Port Elgin, Port Elgin	" "
"	362, Maple Leaf, Tara	" "
"	393, Forest, Chesley	" "
	U. D. Cedar, Wiarton	" "

NO. 5—WELLINGTON DISTRICT. (21.)

Counties of Waterloo and Wellington.

D. D. G. M.—R. W. Bro. S. S. McCormack, Orangeville.

No.	72, Alma, Galt	Waterloo County.
"	151, The Grand River, Berlin	" "
"	172, Ayr, Ayr	" "
"	205, New Dominion, New Hamburg	" "
"	257, Galt, Galt	" "
"	279, New Hope, Hespeler	" "

No.	297, Preston, Preston.....	Waterloo County.
"	318, Wilmot, Baden	" "
"	180, Speed, Guelph.....	Wellington County
"	200, St. Alban's, Mount Forest	" "
"	203, Irvine, Elora	" "
"	216, Harris, Orangeville	" "
"	258, Guelph, Guelph	" "
"	262, Harriston, Harriston.....	" "
"	271, Wellington, Erin	" "
"	295, Conestogo, Drayton	" "
"	314, Blair, Palmerston	" "
"	315, Clifford, Clifford.....	" "
"	335, Prince Arthur, Arthur	" "
"	247, Mercer, Fergus	" "
"	361, Waverley, Guelph	" "

NO. 6—HAMILTON DISTRICT. (19.)

Counties of Wentworth and the Village of Caledonia, in the County of Haldimand.

D. D. G. M.—R. W. Bro. W. G. Reid, Hamilton.

No.	6, Barton, Hamilton	Wentworth County -
"	27, Strict Observance, Hamilton	" "
"	40, St. John's, Hamilton.....	" "
"	57, Harmony, Binbrook	" "
"	61, Acacia, Hamilton	" "
"	100, Valley, Dundas	" "
"	166, Wentworth, Stoney Creek	" "
"	272, Seymour, Ancaster	" "
"	291, Dufferin, West Flamboro'	" "
"	317, The Hiram, Dundas	" "
"	324, Temple, Hamilton	" "
"	357, Waterdown, Waterdown	" "
"	382, Doric, Hamilton.....	" "
"	135, St. Clair, Milton	Halton County.
"	165, Burlington, Burlington.....	" "
"	198, White Oak, Oakville	" "
No.	219, Credit, Georgetown	" "
"	321, Walker, Acton West.....	" "
"	62, St. Andrew's, Caledonia	Haldimand County.

NO. 7—NIAGARA DISTRICT. (23.)

Counties of Lincoln, Haldimand and Welland, except the Village of Caledonia, in the County of Haldimand.

D. D. G. M.—R. W. Bro. J. M. Dunn, Welland.

No.	2, Niagara, Niagara	Lincoln County.
"	7, Union, Grimsby.....	" "
"	15, St. George's, St. Catharines	" "
"	103, Maple Leaf, St. Catharines.....	" "
"	115, Ivy, Beamsville.....	" "
"	277, Seymour, Port Dalhousie.....	" "
"	296, Temple, St. Catharines.....	" "
"	338, Dufferin, Welland Port	" "
"	32, Amity, Dunnville.....	Haldimand County.
"	35, St. John's, Cayuga.....	" "
"	185, Enniskillen, York.....	" "
"	319, Hiram, Oheapside	" "
"	329, King Solomon, Jarvis.....	" "
"	36, Welland, Fonthill.....	Welland County.
"	105, St. Mark's, Drummondville.....	" "
"	168, Merritt, Welland.....	" "
"	169, Macnabb, Port Colborne.....	" "
"	213, Dominion, Ridgeway.....	" "
"	221, Mountain, Thorold.....	" "
"	254, Clifton, Clifton.....	" "
"	337, Myrtle, Port Robinson.....	" "
"	372, Palmer, Victoria.....	" "
"	373, Copestone, Welland.....	" "

NO. 8—TORONTO DISTRICT. (33.)

Counties of York and Peel, and the Township of Uxbridge, in Ontario County.

D. D. G. M.—R. W. Bro. J. B. Nixon, Toronto.

No.	16, St. Andrew's, Toronto.....	York County.
"	22, King Solomon's, Toronto.....	" "
"	23, Richmond, Richmond Hill.....	" "
"	25, Ionic, Toronto.....	" "
"	54, Vaughan, Maple.....	" "

No.	65, Rehoboam, Toronto.....	York County.
"	75, St. John's, Toronto.....	" "
"	86, Wilson, Toronto.....	" "
"	87, Markham Union, Markham.....	" "
"	97, Sharon, Sharon.....	" "
"	99, Tuscan, Newmarket.....	" "
"	118, Union Schomberg.....	" "
"	129, The Rising Sun, Aurora.....	" "
"	136, Richardson, Stouffville.....	" "
"	156, York, Eglington.....	" "
"	218, Stevenson, Toronto.....	" "
"	247, Ashlar, Yorkville.....	" "
"	265, Patterson, Thornhill.....	" "
"	281, Thorne, Holland Landing.....	" "
"	292, Robertson, Nobleton.....	" "
"	305, Humber, Weston.....	" "
"	311, Blackwood, Woodbridge.....	" "
"	316 Doric, Toronto.....	" "
"	326, Zetland, Toronto.....	" "
"	339, Orient, Don Mount.....	" "
"	343, Georgina, Sutton.....	" "
"	346, Occident, Toronto.....	" "
"	367, St. George, Toronto.....	" "
"	369, Mimico, Islington.....	" "
"	384, Alpha, Parkdale.....	" "
"	329, Ionic, Brampton.....	Peel County.
"	356, River Park, Streetsville.....	" "
"	220, Zeredatha, Uxbridge.....	Ontario County.

NO. 9—GEORGIAN DISTRICT. (25.)

Counties of Simcoe, Grey, and Cardwell, the Algoma, Musko
and Parry Sound Districts, and the North West Territories.

D. D. G. M —R. W. Bro. John Creasor, Owen Sound.

No.	79, Simcoe, Bradford.....	Simcoe County.
"	90, Manito, Collingwood.....	" "
"	96, Corinthian, Barrie.....	" "
"	192, Orillia, Orillia.....	" "
"	230, Kerr, Bell Ewart.....	" "
"	236, Manitoba, Bond Head.....	" "

No.	249, Caledonian, Angus.....	Simcoe County.
"	266, Northern Light, Stayner.....	" "
"	285, Seven Star, Alliston.....	" "
"	304, Minerva, Craigvale	" "
"	348, Georgian, Penetanguishene.....	" "
"	385, Spry, Beeton	" "
"	88, St. George's Owen Sound.....	Grey County.
"	137, Pythagoras, Meaford.....	" "
"	234, Beaver, Clarksburg	" "
"	306, Durham, Durham	" "
"	322, North Star, Owen Sound.....	" "
"	333, Prince Arthur, Flesherton.....	" "
"	377, Lorne, Shelburne	" "
"	98, True Blue, Albion.....	Cardwell County.
"	287, Shuniah, Prince Arthur's Landing....	Algoma District.
"	352, Granite, Parry Sound	Parry Sound Dis't.
"	360, Muskoka, Bracebridge.....	Muskoka District.
"	376, Unity, Huntsville.....	" "
"	381, Kinistino, Prince Albert.....	N. W. Territories.

NO. 10—ONTARIO DISTRICT. (31.)

Counties of Northumberland, Durham, Ontario, Victoria, and Peterborough, (except the Township of Uxbridge in Ontario County.)

D. D. G. M.—R. W. Bro. G. H. F. Dartnell, Whitby.

No.	17, St. John's, Cobourg.....	Northumberland Co.
"	29, United, Brighton.....	" "
"	91, Colborne, Colborne.....	" "
"	126, Golden Rule, Campbellford.....	" "
"	161, Percy, Warkwork.....	" "
"	308, Grafton, Grafton....	" "
"	353, Excelsior, Colborne.....	" "
"	365, North Star, Roseneath.....	" "
"	26, Ontario, Port Hope.....	Durham County.
"	31, Jerusalem, Bowmanville.....	" "
"	66, Durham, Newcastle.....	" "
"	114, Hope, Port Hope.....	" "
"	145, J. B. Hall, Millbrook.....	" "
"	325, Orono, Orono.....	" "
"	30, Composite, Whitby.....	Ontario County.

No.	39, Mount Zion, Brooklin.....	Ontario County
"	139, Lebanon, Oshawa.....	" "
"	183, Prince, Albert, Port Perry.....	" "
"	269, Brougham Union, Brougham.....	" "
"	270, Cedar, Oshawa.....	" "
"	354, Brock, Cannington.....	" "
"	77, Faithful Brethren, Lindsay.....	Victoria County
"	89, King Hiram, Lindsay.....	" "
"	268, Verulam, Bobcaygeon.....	" "
"	375, Lorne, Omemee.....	" "
"	101, Corinthian, Peterboro'.....	Peterboro' County
"	150, Hastings, Hastings.....	" "
"	155, Peterboro', Peterboro'.....	" "
"	223, Norwood, Norwood.....	" "
"	313, Clementi, Lakefield.....	" "
"	374 Keene, Keene.....	" "

NO. 11—PRINCE EDWARD DISTRICT. (22.)

Counties of Lennox, Hastings, Prince Edward and Addington

D. D. G. M.— R. W. Bro. J. S. Loomis, Madoc.

No.	9, Union, Napanee.....	Lennox County.
"	189, Filius Viduæ, Adolphustown.....	" "
"	280, Mount Sinai, Napanee.....	" "
"	11, Moira, Belleville.....	Hastings County
"	38, Trent, Trenton.....	" "
"	48, Madoc, Madoc.....	" "
"	69, Stirling, Stirling.....	" "
"	123, The Belleville, Belleville.....	" "
"	127, Franck, Frankford.....	" "
"	222, Marmora, Marmora.....	" "
"	239, Tweed, Tweed.....	" "
"	241, Quinte, Shannonville.....	" "
"	278, Mystic, Roslin.....	" "
"	283, Eureka, Belleville.....	" "
No.	18, Prince Edward, Picton.....	Prince Edward County
"	50, Consecon, Consecon.....	" "
"	164, Star in the East, Wellington.....	" "
"	215, Lake, Ameliasburg.....	" "
"	119, Maple Leaf, Bath.....	Addington County
"	146, Prince of Wales, Newburg.....	" "
"	228, Prince Arthur, Odessa.....	" "
"	299, Victoria, Centreville.....	" "

NO. 12—ST. LAWRENCE DISTRICT. (28.)

Counties of Frontenac, Leeds, Grenville, Stormount, Dundas and Glengarry.

D. D. G. M.—R. W. Bro. A. F. Milliken, Cornwall.

No.	3, The Ancient St John's, Kingston.....	Frontenac County.
"	92, Cataraqui, Kingston.....	" "
"	109, Albion, Harrowsmith.....	" "
"	212, Elysian, Garden Island.....	" "
"	253, Minden, Kingston.....	" "
"	340, St. John's, Pittsburg.....	" "
"	342, Hiram, Wolfe Island.....	" "
"	363, Frontenac, Cataraqui.....	" "
"	5, Sussex, Brockville.....	Leeds County.
"	85, Rising Sun, Farmersville.....	" "
"	157, Simpson, Newboro'.....	" "
"	201, Leeds, Gananoque.....	" "
"	242, Macoy, Escott Front.....	" "
"	368, Salem, Brockville.....	" "
"	370, Harmony, Delta.....	" "
"	387, Lansdown, Lansdown.....	" "
"	28, Mount Zion, Kemptville.....	Grenville County.
"	55, Merrickville, Merrickville.....	" "
"	74, St. James, Maitland.....	" "
"	110, Central, Prescott.....	" "
"	389, Crystal Fountain, North Augusta.....	" "
"	125, Cornwall, Cornwall.....	Stormont County.
"	256, Farran's Point, Farran's Point.....	" "
"	142, Excelsior, Morrisburg.....	Dundas County.
"	143, Friendly Brothers, Iroquois.....	" "
"	320, Chesterville, Chesterville.....	" "
"	383, Henderson, West Winchester.....	" "
"	207, Lancaster, Lancaster.....	Glengarry County.

NO. 13—OTTAWA DISTRICT. (20.)

Counties of Lanark, Carleton, Renfrew, Prescott and Russell.

D. D. G. M.—R. W. Bro. J. G. Cranston, Arnprior.

No.	14, True Britons, Perth.....	Lanark County.
"	24, St. Francis, Smith's Falls.....	" "
"	63, St. John's, Carleton Place.....	" "
"	147, Mississippi, Almonte.....	" "
"	209, Evergreen, Lanark.....	" "
"	248, Eureka, Pakenham.....	" "
"	355, Olandeboye, Perth.....	" "
"	52, Dalhousie, Ottawa.....	Carleton County—
"	58, Doric, Ottawa.....	" "
"	148, Civil Service, Ottawa.....	" "
"	159, Goodwood, Richmond.....	" "
"	177, The Builders, Ottawa.....	" "
"	231, Lodge of Fidelity, Ottawa.....	" "
"	264, Chaudier, Ottawa.....	" "
"	371, Prince of Wales, Ottawa.....	" "
"	122, Renfrew, Renfrew.....	Renfrew County—
"	128, Pembroke, Pembroke.....	" "
"	196, Madawaska, Arnprior.....	" "
"	186, Plantagenet, Plantagenet.....	Prescott County.
"	210, Hawkesbury, Hawkesbury.....	" "

NOT ATTACHED TO ANY DISTRICT.

No. 293, Royal Solomon Mother, Jerusalem Palestine.

RECAPITULATION.

No.	1 St. Clair District.....	27	Lodges—
"	2 London ".....	39	"
"	3 Wilson ".....	27	"
"	4 Huron ".....	30	"
"	5 Wellington ".....	21	"
"	6 Hamilton ".....	19	"
"	7 Niagara ".....	23	"
No.	8 Toronto ".....	33	"
"	9 Georgian ".....	25	"
"	10 Ontario ".....	31	"
"	11 Prince Edward ".....	22	"
"	12 St. Lawrence ".....	28	"
"	13 Ottawa ".....	20	"
	Unattached.....	1	"
	Total.....	346	"

SUSPENSIONS—UN-MASONIC CONDUCT.

No. of
Lodge.

- 97 Wm. J. Forth.
- 113 David Epps.
- 193 J. W. Renwick.
- 197 Jas. McBeath.
- 205 Chris Ernst.
- 213 Wm. Atkinson.
- 222 Ben. Johnson.
- 224 Nicholas Deichert.
- 272 Marshall J. Wright.
- 300 H. Bailey, suspended indefinite period
- 303 Wm. Cole, Wm. Way.
- 307 Jacob Holmes.
- 309 Robt. Downs.
- 372 John Burgess.

SUSPENSIONS FOR NON-PAYMENT OF DUES.

- 3 A. Macphie, John Shepherd.
- 5 John W. Jamieson, Josh. R. Smith, Wesley Purdy.
- 6 T. H. Richmond, G. H. Matthews, Archd. McKeand.
- 10 Fred. T. Snider.
- 11 R. Baker, P. Frederick, John Cox.
- 16 Edwin Butt, Chas. F. McGregor, T. P. Wadsworth, N. G. Bigelow.
- 23 Jacob White, J. McKenzie, John Leek, R. Goodyear, John Beynon.
- 26 L. G. Choquette.
- 27 Ed. Burns, D. Keltie, J. W. Webber, J. C. Shoonmaker, R. J. Dunstan.
- 28 W. D. Beaman, W. E. Bowan, F. McLellan, Jas. H. Shaver.
- 33 Thos. J. Vibeau, John A. Delve.
- 35 A. C. Smith, A. R. Atkinson,
- 36 Rob. S. Kemp, C. B. Crowe.
- 37 J. W. Lawson, M. E. Tripp, C. Brock, W. W. Marr, R. A. Doyle, J. Marwood,
- 40 Lindsay Crawford, O. Spears, Walter Adams,
- 41 W. H. Lowe, W. McDonald, L. Malott, C. Palmer, H. Price, F. Pullford.
- 43 J. Harrington, D. A. Muir, S. Stephens, J. Robinson, J. McLaren, G. Elston, A. Slaght, A. McPherson, J. Whealley, Jas. McLeod.
- 44 W. A. Cooper.
- 45 W. W. Bishop, Geo. Hardy, N. T. Hunter, W. H. Harvey, W. Kitchen, Thos. Rolson, G. Trotter.

No. of
Lodge.

- 46 A. J. Powell, Wm. Barclay.
- 47 Jas. Gibson, Wm. Belsom, H. V. Deming, R. Timms, Thos. Gorst,
H. D. Ellis, A. H. Wright.
- 48 H. Luke, W. H. Atkins, I. G. Deans, D. Cameron, J. Hope, J. H.
Dunstan, D. McDonald, W. H. Breakell, P. Clarke.
- 52 H. W. Bennett, D. S. Eastwood, E. E. Hawkins, C. Mohr, D. McAm-
mond, J. J. Radford, L. S. Thompson.
- 54 E. Martin, T. Thompson, J. Wood, R. Gilmour, D. McEchren, H. Le-
mon, T. Maddox, T. Brown, J. L. Card.
- 55 Alfd. W. Bottum, Jas. Alexander.
- 56 C. Nevile, T. L. Smith, J. Dingwall, J. Davis, H. O'Neil, Neil McLure
R. A. Duncan. Wm. Sinclair.
- 57 Wm. Bell, Robt. Elliot.
- 58 J. Angus, J. G. Davis, Thos. Lee, H. J. Lamb, A. J. Parker, A. P.
Patrick, D. Morrison,
- 62 John H. Nelles, John A. Smith, John Bell, Hugh Scott, Wm. Munro
D. McQuarrie.
- 63 S. Bell, C. R. Church, Benj. Code.
- 65 N. G. Bigelow, R. Grant, F. Wright, W. Snarr. H. Mallison, T.
Thompson, A. B. Cook, W. H. Meninbinick, Jas. Spencer, G. B.
Stock.
- 66 Shubal Nichols,
- 72 Wm. Austin, A. B. Clark, J. Murchey, T. G. Chapman, T. Stephen-
son.
- 75 J. Herdman, John Lanskail, A. M. Macdonald.
- 76 T. P. Cattle, F. G. Fauquier, A. H. Ferguson, Wm. Hargrave, D. K.
Perry, G. A. Teeple, Geo. Walker,
- 77 R. Killingsworth,
- 81 Wm. Lundie, M. Leitch, Alex. Pepper, Wm. S. Rogers, D. Black, D.
Browne,
- 83 Jas. Manson, Albert Bradley,
- 84 S. Malcomson, Geo. Chidley, W. Curtis. J. A. Moore, Hy. McCann,
J. Standish,
- 86 T. W. Medley, J. Lamb, F. Pearson, John Smith, H. T. Smith, J.
Allingham, E. Field, H. Burden, E. Devenport, F. Wilson, M.
Goodwin, H. T. Allsop, John Hendricks, Jo. Cody, Geo. Maynard.
- 89 J. C. Dunham, Robt. Irwin.
- 90 John Reed.
- 91 G. E. Chapin, D. Bradd, G. P. Hinman, W. A. Powers, Thos. Haig,
Edwd. Cochrane.
- 92 A. A. Dawson, Geo. Finlay, J. Hannah.
- 93 T. C. Bartholomew, A. MacLean. W. Thompson, R. E. Cooper. E.

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- Marr, A. T. MacKay, J. Vanstone, Robt. Malcolm, T. E. P. True,
T. W. Ward.
- 96 Geo. Plaxton.
- 98 A. Robinson, G. Treadgold, W. Charles, J. Elliot, Robt. Harper, Wm.
Summers, B. Dowling, Thos. Bird, Jno. McKelroy, P. Stern.
- 99 W. Dicterle, J. A. Botsford, W. H. Elvidge, N. J. Jolly, W. D.
Rogers, Eli Tedman, C. T. Winson, H. Wheatley.
- 100 F. W. Cooper, W. B. Irving,
- 101 R. Chd. Meade, Robt. Farrell,
- 103 H. Y. Braund, F. G. Stewart, W. Hellem, B. G. Haynes, R. H.
McMullen,
- 104 C. E. Burgess, E. W. Burgess, W. Topham, E. C. McLees.
- 106 W. A. Shaw.
- 107 W. M. Scott, Wm. E. Scott, Wm. Christian, B. S. Wells, C. Smith, L.
McNames, C. W. Smith, Wm. Rodgers, A. Black, A. J. Jarvis.
- 110 J. D. Bride, L. Bramer.
- 111 J. H. Smith, C. Scare, A. Humphrey, J. Simons, C. S. Harrison, F.
C. Morse, P. C. Smith.
- 118 W. Stephenson, H. Tilson.
- 119 E. G. Ferren, P. Amey, J. P. Asselstine, G. Bennett, R. B. Price, R.
M. Rose, J. Wemp.
- 121 Robt. Woolrich, T. Buchanan, T. Southwood, H. Holding, Wm. H.
Grey, J. W. Rushton, R. Henwood, John Humburch, James
McMaster.
- 122 Jas. Thompson, Geo. Cochrane, D. McNichol,
- 123 W. S. Cook, J. E. Lockwood, Rev. J. R. Jones, S. Barnum, R. Purdy.
- 127 W. M. Shorey,
- 131 Jas. T. Conaway,
- 135 A. S. Gillett, D. E. Robertson, D. P. Curridice, J. D. Matheson.
- 140 Thos. T. Mann, J. R. Blackhouse.
- 141 Jas. Kerr, R. Francis, E. Archer, W. Calwell, W. Challenger, J.
Frazer, J. T. Hicks, T. Leadston, Alex. Mitchell, Josiah Muphy,
H. McIntyre, Thos. McDonald, F. Olver, Wm. Sedgwick, R.
Saunders, Wm. Thom.
- 143 W. J. Thompson, Wm. Adams, S. L. Loucks, W. L. Soules, G.
Barkley, C. E. Bassford, A. C. Casselman.
- 144 A. McWillie, E. Butters, H. Corey, W. Clark, P. Mulcohy, A. J. B.
McDonald.
- 146 John Fullerton.
- 150 Job Humphries.
- 162 Jos. Bell, Saml. Neilson.
- 166 Walter McKay, M. Graham.
- 170 Adam Gray, E. J. Hazlewood, J. C. McKay, Alex. Davidson.

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- 172 J. Shoemaker, Chas. Schlemmer, W. H. Ward, Wm. Henderson, Robt Ross, Peter Soutar.
- 174 R. Richardson, C. Dickinson, J. G. Spain, D. J. Ellis, Thos. Smith, N. Woodward, J. Atkins, John Baker, John Tolmie, J. E. Hoover, Jared Fuller, Chas. Buck, Jas. Gardener, Chas. Waterhouse, Jas. Ferrie.
- 177 R. J. Gilton,
- 178 Gerhard Bretz.
- 179 Jos. Whiting, W. J. Graham, R. R. Davey, Alex. McClelland.
- 180 A. S. Phelps,
- 183 A. Hurd, W. M. Cochrane, A. Bongard, H. T. Johnston, D. Jennings, A. N. Sexton, W. H. Robinson, J. L. Watkis, John Tremier.
- 185 Jas. Shand.
- 196 John Harvey, John Holmes, Thos. Kingston, Jas. Watt.
- 201 F. M. Baker, John Willoughby, J. A. Acton, Wm. N. Rogers, Wm. Y. Boyd.
- 209a W. S. Short, J. Bunn, W. Riddell, Jas. Mothersell, W. H. Phillips, Wm. Dudson, R. Klostermann.
- 210 W. B. McArthur, E. Bangs, W. D. Graham, John O. Noyes, Wm. Curran, Hy. Ledword, A. Ogden, Jas. Timbers, Chas. Orton, Jas. Williamson, J. G. Platt, Jas. Beggs.
- 212 Hy. Brown, J. Jaqwith, Martin Johnston, R. H. Charles.
- 213 J. E. Anger, Wm. Ross.
- 216 J. R. Riddell, D. Milloy, P. M. Barker, F. W. Bell, E. J. Hughes, W. G. Denison, Wm. Dawson.
- 217 Wm. Cowan, D. Reeves, J. W. Mathews, H. Anderson, J. D. Morden, J. Lindsay, S. Dennis, Wm. Armstrong.
- 218 Jas. Kelly, Wm. Moore, Geo. Watson.
- 221 J. T. Winslow Robt. Smith, W. S. Smith, Jas. Walker, W. F. Ellison, J. Woodall, I. Usher, J. N. Stewart, H. G. Tendall, H. McDonald, H. H. Hendershot, Jno. Flann.
- 225 Jas. Trail, Joseph Congdon, H. Bennett.
- 230 Alf. Stennett.
- 232 H. McPherson, C. Schleinhauf, John McEachren, A. O. Shaff, D. McKee, Archd. McEachren, K. McKenzie, D. H. McIntyre.
- 236 R. S. Mann, Wm. Irwin, T. S. W. Sutherland.
- 237 J. F. Fairchild.
- 238 A. N. C. Black, Geo. Wright, Jas. Bole, Peter McKinney, John J. Haley.
- 243 H. I. Bell, Thos. Addison, Alex. Kerr.
- 245 B. J. Brown, T. S. Arnold, John Watts, Hezekiah West, Hy. Howell.

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- 247 **R**obert Coghill, Wm. Dunlop, Miles Hughes, R. M. Perse.
- 248 **A**ndrew Forbes, John Marsden.
- 253 **H**y. Evans, B. Lanan, J. T. Anglin, J. A. McKay.
- 254 **R**obert Thompson, John Bowen.
- 256 **W** Gibson, John Denny, Geo. Hodgins, M. Sutton, Chas. Wagner, Robt. Bullock, Moses N. Tobin, Robt. Brownley, I. B. Dafee, G. H. Cook.
- 259 **J**ohn Cornwall, S. Herrick, Thos. Weaver, Levi Brooks.
- 262 **R** P. Anderson, D. Leech, Wm. Bruce, D. Wanless, Geo. W. Stull.
- 263 **D** Anderson, John Horton, T. Peffers, John Macken, N. C. Elliott.
- 269 **A**lex. Taylor, A. C. Barrie.
- 277 **G** W. Reed, H. Young, R. Henry, jr., G. A. Camp, Wm. Cooke, L. Meddler, Alex. Robertson, A. Woodruff, A. B. Abbey, W. H. Denton.
- 278 **T**homas Lloyd, Geo. Simpson.
- 284 **O** C. Boynton, W. Simpson, Wm. A. B. Fishleigh, John Dunbar, John Allen, J. W. Carson, Wm. Willard, G. B. McDonough, Wm. Dark.
- 287 **M** Macklin.
- 289 **D** McLaren, S. Campbell,
- 294 **G**eo. Stewart, John McRae, Jas. G. Nesbit, John S. Nesbit, A. Boyle, Oakley Ross, D. Cunningham, Jas. McIntosh, W. G. Edwards, E. Allnm.
- 295 **G** W. Green, L. McKellar, John Landerkin, Wm. Shaw, Ed. Robb, Ira Marshall, B. L. Johnston, Levi Carter.
- 296 **L** E. Badgley, R. S. Ness, H. S. Mutton.
- 300 **T**homas Hays, Wm. Marshall, D. Murdock.
- 302 **I** Underhill, Saml. Sills, F. Lalonde, C. W. Parsons, C. M. Townley.
- 304 **R** S. Gilpin.
- 312 **I** S. Lampman, Geo. McGregor, W. C. Barnes, H. Bolton, John A. Sewell, Jas. M. McDonald, John Harley, I. S. Dobson.
- 314 **H**enry Touchbourne, Jas. R. Waddell.
- 316 **C** Calligan, J. H. Cornish, G. Cole, A. Clements, R. G. Dalton, Wm. Deering, J. Lanskell, F. Perry, W. H. Treblecock, Nelson Brown.
- 317 **A** S. Wink, Alex. Ogg, Alex. Stewart, J. A. Fizzell.
- 320 **W**m. Marshall, Jas. McArthur.
- 324 **W** S. Cochrane.
- 325 **M** S. Thornton.
- 326 **G**eo. B. Bradley.
- 327 **O** E. Young.
- 328 **W** Highfield, G. W. Harris, Thos. Hayes.
- 329 **W**m. Mitchell.

No. of
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- 330 John J. Porter.
 335 Jas. Buttler, J. E. Atkinson, Chas. Baker.
 337 Alex. B. Abbey.
 338 B. Sutherland, Al. Heaslip, Jas. Ferguson.
 339 W. J. Smith, Owen Niely, Wm. Scott.
 341 Alex. Matheson, B. Gilroy, D. Cameron, Wm. McPhee.
 342 W. H. Hutcheson, Geo. Malone, Geo. Martin.
 344 John Taylor.
 345 A. D. Osbourne.
 347 Chas. Powney.
 348 A. J. Crickmore, Wm. Moore.
 350 Edwd. Tallon, A. G. Fyfe, D. Cameron.
 352 J. E. Smythe, W. H. Smythe.
 354 J. E. Jewell, John Aldridge.
 359 Geo. Gutscher.
 361 G. H. Corner.
 362 Jas. A. Neelands.
 371 D. Cockburn, D. A. Carmichael, T. D. Lewis, G. A. Clark, Th
 Parsons.
 386 Jas. Triggar, K. McKenzie, John McEachern, Jas. H. Greer.

EXPULSIONS.

- 86 F. W. Rimer.
 164 Wm. Patterson.
 184 G. T. Burgess.
 197 Jas. McBeath.
 235 Thos. Pinkerton, Arch. McArthur, John Brandt, Alex. McIn
 Jas. Dougan, John Dougan, John Munn, Moses Irwin.
 302 W. C. Reid.
 339 J. Fletcher Cross.

RESTORATIONS.

- 5 Erastus Cook.
 7 Geo. Hart.
 9 Martin Lasher, Fred. Chinneck, H. C. Perry.
 11 R. A. Becket.
 14 A. McNee.
 18 Jas. Gillespie, Sr.
 26 Thos. Lourey.
 29 John Burr.
 31 Wm. Thompson,

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- 34 **Edwd. C. Gatfield.**
- 36 **Geo. Gamble.**
- 37 **Chris. Brock.**
- 43 **A. Smith, D. McLellan, Geo. White.**
- 44 **F. G. Palmer, Chas. Roe, P. Couse, C. B. Spohn.**
- 46 **R. J. Earl, D. Ferguson, C. S. McNairn, T. B. Mapp, J. F. Sawyer,
Jas. Higgins, Alex. McPherson.**
- 47 **Peter Bradt.**
- 52 **D. S. Eastwood, W. Hay.**
- 56 **Edwd. Fassett, Jas. Cowan, C. Neville, Thos. Penton.**
- 58 **D. H. Eastman, Robt. Stanley, E. Browne, J. P. Featherstone.**
- 62 **Jas. Saywright,**
- 63 **A. G. Paul.**
- 64 **D. Campbell.**
- 65 **Frank Rutledge.**
- 79 **A. W. McCartee.**
- 81 **Wm. H. Wallace.**
- 82 **J. W. Shannon.**
- 83 **John McBride.**
- 91 **R. B. Scott, A. Pink, H. J. Merriman, J. A. Scott.**
- 92 **Jas. W. Miller, Jas. Middleton, Geo. Finlay.**
- 93 **Neil McLean, Thos. Elmes, Wm. Thompson.**
- 96 **Alex. Coutts.**
- 98 **J. B. Hall, Jas. McFall.**
- 100 **Alex. Clowse.**
- 107 **Eli L. Davis.**
- 108 **Chauncy H. Benedict, E. Duffy**
- 109 **W. A. Mabee.**
- 111 **John F. Hicks.**
- 112 **Jas. Crawford.**
- 113 **John Newell.**
- 115 **R. T. Merrill.**
- 129 **R. Rumble, R. W. Hillary.**
- 131 **J. C. Byers, D. Cascaden.**
- 137 **S. C. Saunders, W. F. Livingstone.**
- 139 **Geo. N. Bartlett.**
- 144 **Wm. R. Knox.**
- 155 **John O'Donnell, Francis Mercer.**
- 156 **John McCarter.**
- 171 **Arthur Dangarfield.**
- 174 **Chas. Bingham.**
- 177 **G. L. Gibson, Gustave Levin.**
- 184 **N. R. McGregor.**

No. of
Lodge.

- 197 Jabez Stephens.
- 200 Wm. E. Robinson.
- 203 Wm. R. Mundell.
- 207 D. McKensie, Alex. McMillan.
- 209a A. J. Steele.
- 210 E. Banga.
- 212 Henry Grimshaw.
- 213 W. Atkinson, T. Sproule, Thos. Kennedy, P. S. Fritz,
Bowen, J. W. Coulter, E. Baxter.
- 216 H. J. Colwell.
- 218 David Blackley, J. F. Craig, John Nicholson.
- 219 Geo. Ellis.
- 221 John Flann.
- 231 Edwd. Miles.
- 232 C. Schleinhaigt.
- 233 John Morris.
- 237 Levi Mack.
- 253 H. B. Evans, John T. Anglin.
- 266 R. Morris.
- 269 James Best.
- 270 James Smith.
- 276 Geo. Stoddart.
- 278 A. C. Hinds, E. A. McCready.
- 280 T. F. O'Connell.
- 284 I. Hamilton.
- 296 L. E. Badgley.
- 299 James Knight, H. McL. Grange.
- 307 Thos. Dawes.
- 321 A. C. Anderson.
- 325 John C. Pomeroy.
- 328 B. Hungerford.
- 364 David Small, Jas. E. Northcott, J. W. Campbell, M. McInt

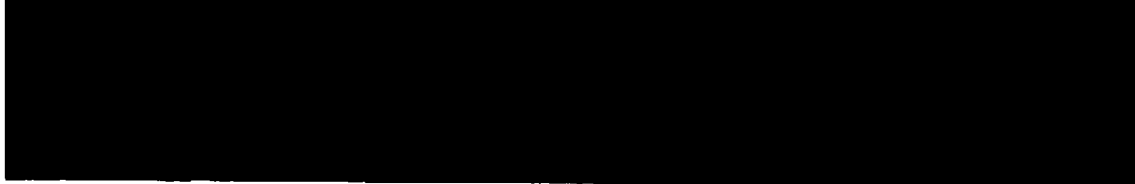
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NO. OF LODGE	NAME.	DATE.
2	John F. Lambert.....	February 13....1881
2	J. W. Dunn.....
3	M. W. Strange.....	October 29....1880
5	Albert Smart.....	December 25...1880
5	Richard Green.....	February 20...1881
6	Jas. S. Laing.....	July 14.....1880
6	Adam Leithead.....	March 29.....1881
7	Wm. Brown.....	March 18.....1880
9	Geo. Schruyver.....	.....
11	A. Diamond.....	July 24.....1880
11	A. McGie.....	July 31.....1880
15	Geo. N. Nickerson.....	September 15...1880
16	John Patterson.....	September 15...1880
16	R. H. Oates.....	March 2.....1881
22	Jas. Farrell.....	November 5....1880
26	John Hilton.....	.....
27	Thos. White.....	July 3.....1880
27	D. B. Fisher.....	June 2.....1881
28	Simon Fraser.....	April 1.....1879
29	C. E. Bullock.....	December 22...1880
32	E. H. Docter.....	August 8.....1880
33	C. G. Dyett.....	July 21.....1880
33	B. Neibergall.....	September 25...1880
40	Alex. McMennemy.....	July 30.....1880
40	A. McBeath.....	December 8....1880
42	Rev. Henry Bartlett.....	January 24....1881
43	Ruben Martin.....	April 17.....1881
45	John Anderson.....	May 21.....1881
47	George Shepley.....	March 23.....1881
47	Daniel Pedlow.....	May 11.....1881
47	J. C. King.....	May 24.....1881
48	W. H. Wilson.....	February 2....1879
48	W. Hodgins.....	October 13....1879
50	John S. Amans.....	May 27.....1879
50	Gibbs Squier.....	July 29.....1881
52	John Orr.....	June 18.....1881
56	Adam Kerr.....	April.....1880
56	E. Mitchell.....	April 25.....1881
56	M. Corston.....	May 11.....1881
56	L. Ernst.....	June 24.....1881
58	Robert Stanley.....	March 19.....1881
61	Wm. Leith.....	March 2.....1880
61	T. G. Spickett.....	August 30.....1880
61	John McKenzie.....	July 4.....1881



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65	Alex. Hawley.....	November 21..1880
66	Geo. E. Shaw.....
72	H Christopherson.....	August 10.....1880
72	Wm. Robinson.....	.....
73	Alex. McHardy.....	Nov. 9.....1880
74	Richard F. Baker.....	August 13.....1880
75	Wm. Thornton.....	August 16.....1880
76	Alex. Gunn.....	.....
81	J. B. Burwell.....	August 20.....1880
82	Robt. Patterson.....	December 5.....1880
85	W. W. Alger.....	January 26.....1880
86	John Cain.....	October 18.....1880
86	Wm. Wallace.....	June 25.....1880
88	J. G. Francis.....	September 15..1880
90	Richard Hill.....	November 24..1880
90	E. Marron.....	April 20.....1881
91	Geo. N. Gordon.....	July 13.....1880
92	J. K. Oliver.....	January 3.....1881
93	Wm. P. Brown.....	September 12...1880
96	M. H. Harrison.....	November 21..1880
103	D. McDonald.....	January 1.....1881
106	A. B. McWilliams.....	March 15.....1881
109	S. McLean.....	November 8...1881
109	E. Upham.....	December 4....1880
110	Robt. Fairbairn.....	August 7.....1880
110	Wm. Sherwood.....	August 15.....1880
112	B. Trainer.....	August 23.....1880
112	John Mitchell.....	September 28..1880
113	Thos. S. Pursel.....	September 7...1880
121	Thos. Rawlings.....	July 19.....1879
121	M. Robson.....	.....1880
129	Josh Fleury.....	September 23..1880
133	Thomas Gedley.....	July 20... ..1880
133	Robt. O. Bissett.....	September 12..1880
137	Francis Law.....	April 25.....1880
139	Chas. Ivory.....	March 16.....1881
146	Wm. R. Knowles.....	September 27..1880
146	J. W. Hanes.....	May 30.....1881
149	Henry Leaney.....	February 13....1881
155	Alex. Baptie.....	April 18.....1881
157	Ab. Bell.....	July 20.....1880
157	Henry Morris.....	October 6.....1880
159	John Holmes.....	Died in Australia.
162	John Parker.....	April 17.....1880



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NO. OF LODGE.	NAME.	DATE.
171	Duncan D. Campbell....	April 30.....1881
175	John E. Stearns.....	December 31..1880
179	A. Symington.....	September 11..1880
179	Richard Chambers.....	May 22.....1881
180	Harry Burton	February 5....1881
181	Wm. H. Cosseboom.....	October 14....1880
183	Arch. Sinclair	August 31....1880
193	Cornelius F. F. Corbin ..	October 26....1880
197	Wm. M. Smith.....	October 7.....1880
201	R. B. Holland	September ....1880
205	Wm. Doersam	November 21..1880
209a	Thos. Kircadden.....	April 13.....1881
212	Wm. A'Brien	November 7....1880
213	L. Palmer.....	January 17....1879
213	E. H. Groff	July 31.....1879
213	Thos. Creese	June 25.....1880
214	A. D. Campbell.....	July 25
214	M. H. Roberts.....	April 13 . ....1881
216	J. McMillan.....	September ....1880
218	John Duckworth	June
221	Geo. Teubrook.....	November 15..1880
228	Jas. B. Perry	May 23
229	Jas. Alexander.....	February 2....1881
229	Geo. W. Wallace.....	June 19
231	John S. Nicholson	June 14
232	Thos. A. Roach	July 13
234	Peter F. LeRoy	September 3 ..1880
235	Geo. Shearwood	March 13 ....1880
235	Wm. Quayle.....	June 8.....1880
236	Robt. Alges	June 20.....1881
238	John Benham	July 15
245	P. S. Fields.....	June 24
248	Peter Pallister	September 10..1880
248	W. A. Dack	April 25
250	Hugh Matheson	January 24....1881
253	Wm. Perry	December 22..1880
266	John McBeth	October 8 ....1880
267	W. G. Coupland	May 20
267	Wm. Hoig.....	July 31
267	Thos. Bennett	October 28....1880
267	D. Gray.....	November 25..1880
270	A. T. Fothergill	September 5 ..1880
270	M. K. Conklin	May 19
271	Hugh Milloy.....	October 31....1880

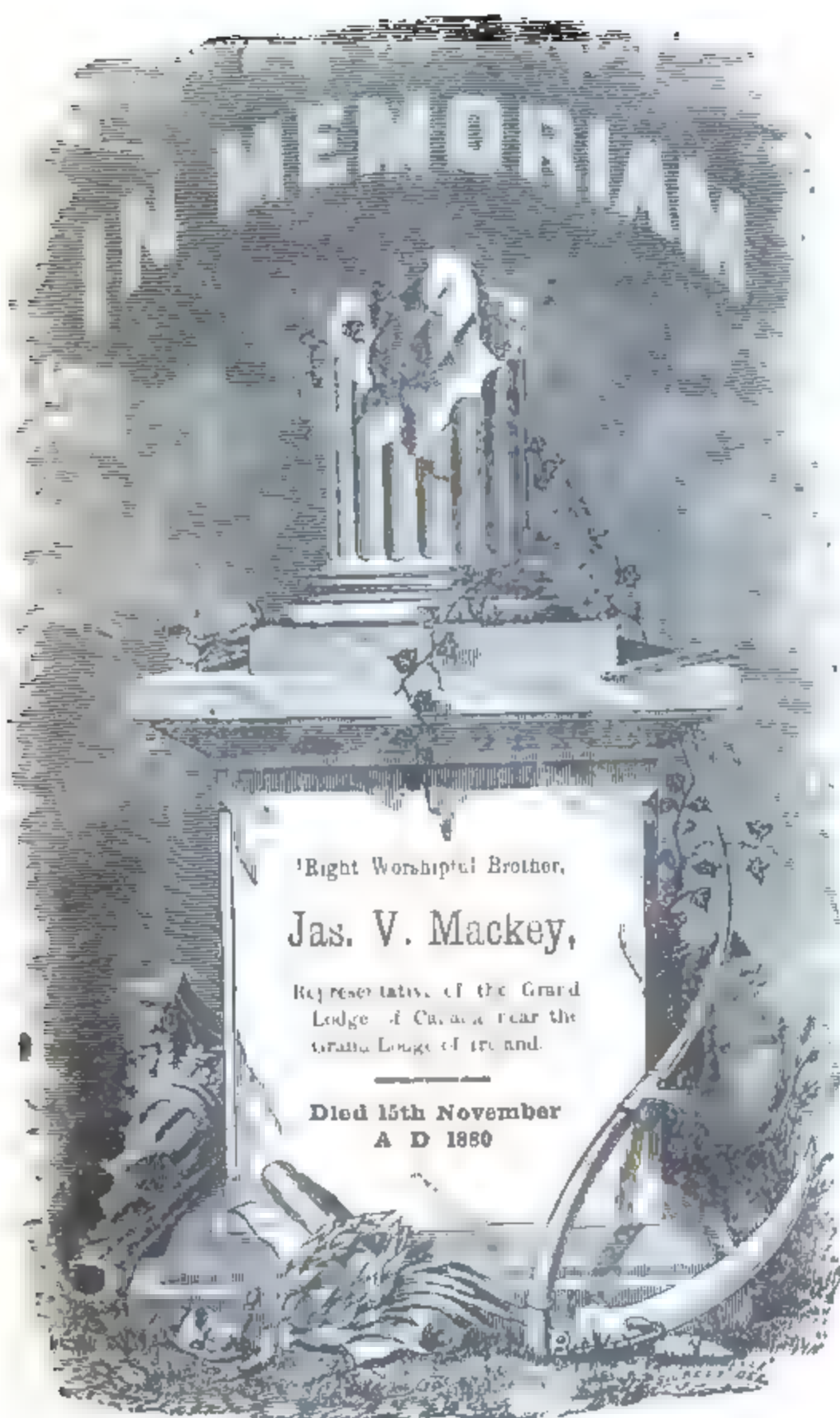


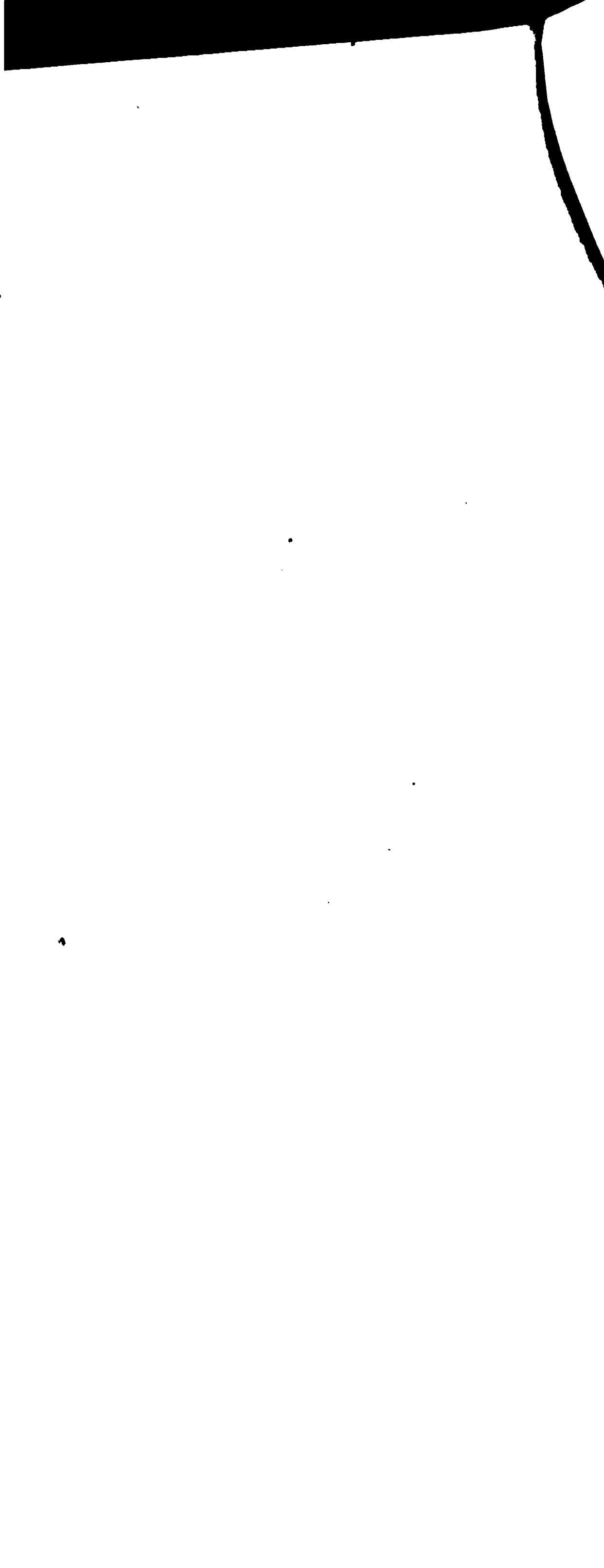
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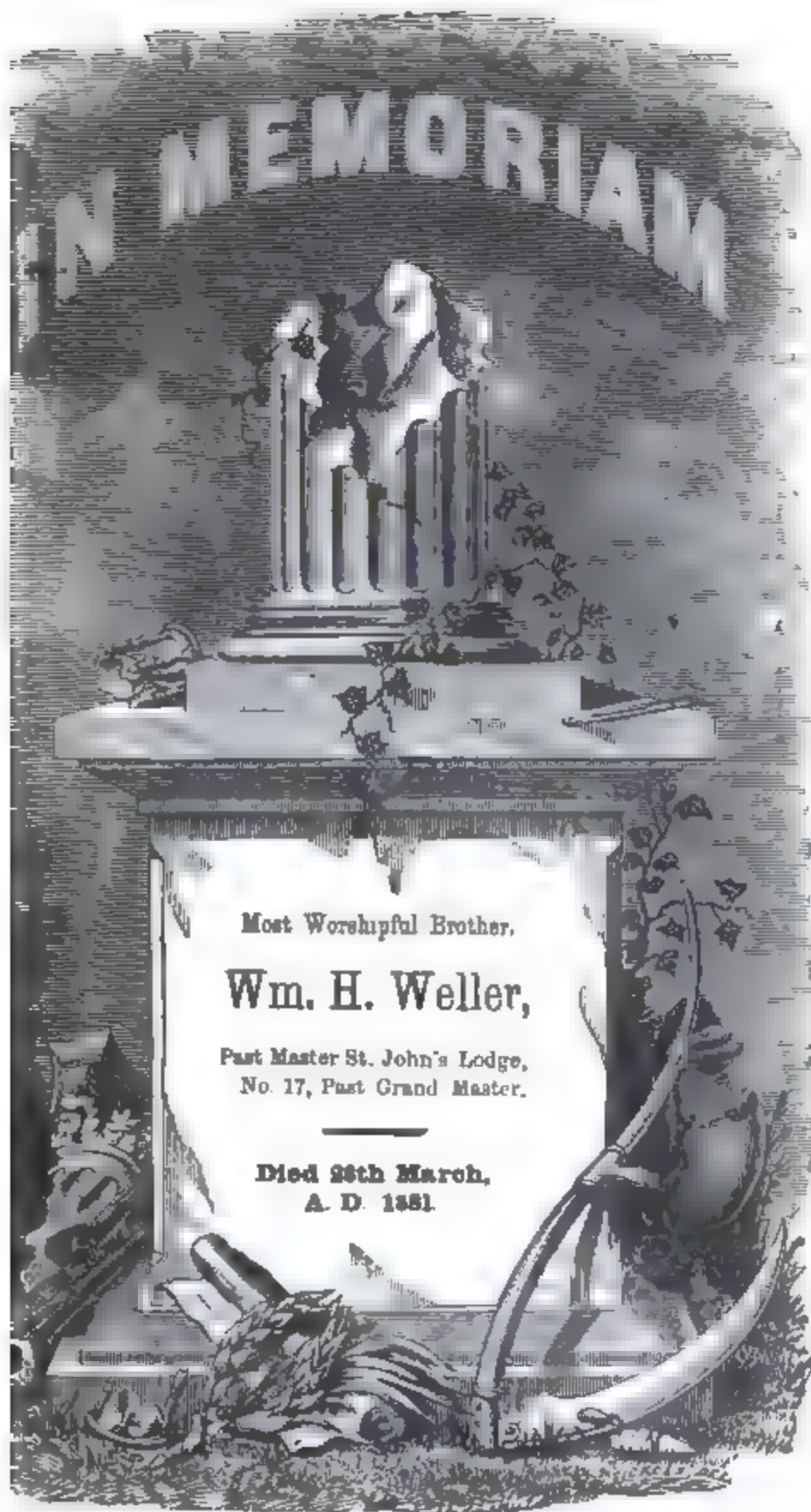
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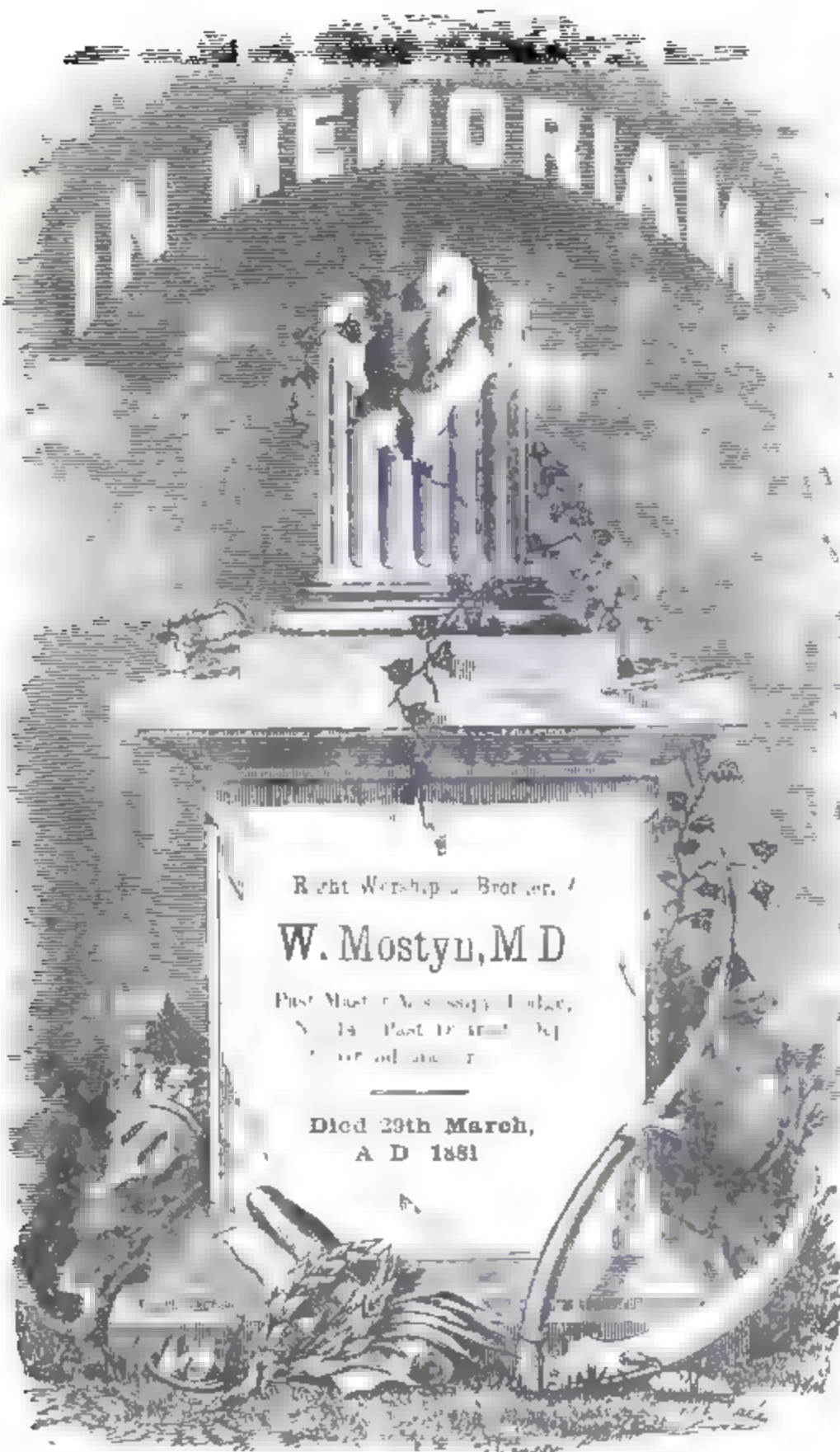
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274	Geo. I. Hall	June1880
282	Oliver White.....	November 24..1880
283	A. Diamond	July 24.....1880
284	J. Parker	April 16..... 1880
286	H. P. Toms	August 21.....1880
289	Geo. H. Case.....	October 17.....1880
290	Jas. Weaver	February 11....1881
292	John Bell	July 5... ....1880
296	F. A. Baker	October 27.....1880
297	Frank E. Erb	February 8....1881
299	Richard Douglass.....	July 7.....1880
300	Thos. Conn .....	.....1879
304	Aron Bowman	February 8....1881
306	Jas. Sutherland	May 26.....1881
311	W. A. Gregory.....	February 8....1881
315	Geo. Reddon.....	July 1.....1879
315	Francis Brown	September 8...1880
316	Wm. F. Wright	May 4.....1881
317	R. F. Cowper	December 7....1880
320	Wm. P. Roche.....	November 17..1879
322	Josiah Adams	June 15.....1881
322	John G. Francis .....	.....1880
329	Robt. Sill	June 26.....1880
329	D. J. Millsap	January 18....1881
330	A. M. Ross	December 8....1880
334	Andrew Dale.....	February 21....1881
339	R. H. Defries	May 4.....1881
340	Wm. Rees.....	April 5.....1880
344	John W. Waugh	October 31....1880
344	Wm. Young	January 28....1881
347	Charles Tobin	March 28.....1881
352	Roderick McVicar	September 14..1880
352	Hugh McKay	May 28.....1881
354	C. F. Ming	May 27.....1880
354	A. Sinclair.....	September 2...1880
367	Andrew McBeth	December 8....1880
374	M. M. P. Dean.....	May 7.....1871
377	John McBeth	October 8....1880
380	J. B. Sabine.....	June 2.....1881
382	Alex. Campbell.	June 13.....1880











SYNOPSIS OF THE RETURNS OF LODGES.
FOR THE YEAR ENDING 24TH JUNE, 1881.

NO. OF LODGE.	Initiations.	Passings.	Raisings.	Joinings.	Withdrawals.	Deaths.	Susp. N. P. D.	Susp. U. M. C.	Expulsions.	Restorations.	No. of Mem.
2.....	1	1	1	1	3	2	...	...	...	...	45
3.....	4	4	6	1	5	1	2	...	...	...	113
5.....	8	7	4	2	3	2	3	...	...	...	113
6.....	9	7	8	5	2	2	3	...	...	...	197
7.....	2	2	2	1	1	1	...	...	...	1	44
9.....	6	6	4	1	4	1	...	...	...	3	51
10.....	6	6	6	1	2	...	1	...	...	...	75
11.....	10	9	12	2	4	2	3	...	...	1	66
14.....	4	4	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	40
15.....	3	3	2	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	110
16.....	9	10	11	6	7	2	4	...	...	...	152
17.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	74
18.....	7	6	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	119
20.....	16	14	15	5	2	...	...	...	...	...	145
22.....	9	7	6	2	4	1	...	...	...	...	173
23.....	3	4	3	...	1	5	...	...	...	...	45
24.....	7	7	5	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	50
25.....	11	10	9	4	7	...	...	...	...	...	92
26.....	2	1	1	...	5	1	1	...	...	1	57
27.....	9	6	6	9	6	2	5	...	...	...	197
28.....	5	7	6	4	6	1	4	...	...	...	58
29.....	4	3	1	1	3	1	...	...	...	1	51
30.....	2	2	2	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	61
31.....	8	7	7	1	5	...	...	...	...	1	62
32.....	12	14	12	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	81
33.....	2	2	1	...	1	2	2	...	...	...	48
34.....	...	...	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	44
35.....	1	2	3	...	5	...	2	...	...	...	39
36.....	1	1	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	41
37.....	1	1	1	1	...	...	6	...	...	1	67
38.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	57
39.....	2	2	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	42
40.....	12	10	8	1	6	2	3	...	...	...	224
41.....	1	2	2	1	3	...	6	...	...	...	63
42.....	7	6	7	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	124
43.....	11	5	9	2	4	1	10	...	...	3	86
44.....	3	6	7	3	2	...	1	...	...	4	109
45.....	2	3	4	...	3	1	7	...	...	...	77
46.....	3	...	...	...	7	...	2	...	...	7	60
47.....	7	6	3	2	5	3	7	...	...	1	96
48.....	6	5	3	2	9	2	9	...	...	...	54
49.....	3	4	4	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	46

Synopsis of the Returns of Lodges for the year ending 24th June, 1881—Continued.

NO. OF LODGE.	Initiations.	Passings.	Raisings.	Joinings.	Withdrawals.	Deaths.	Susp. N. P. D.	Susp. U. M. C.	Expulsions.	Restorations.	No. of Men
52 ..	1	...	1	...	3	1	7	...	...	2	62
54 ..	3	2	3	...	3	...	9	...	...	...	57
55 ..	6	5	4	1	7	...	2	...	...	...	46
56 ..	10	10	7	2	9	4	8	...	...	4	77
57 ..	1	1	1	...	4	...	2	...	...	...	28
58 ..	1	1	2	...	5	1	7	...	...	4	52
61 ..	16	14	12	2	4	3	...	...	...	...	164
62 ..	3	...	...	1	1	...	6	...	...	1	45
63 ..	3	3	3	...	3	...	3	...	...	1	45
64 ..	1	1	3	2	1	...	...	...	...	1	121
65 ..	23	16	13	11	14	1	10	...	...	1	128
66 ..	1	1	1	...	7	1	1	...	...	...	44
68 ..	12	7	5	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	69
69 ..	4	3	5	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	59
72 ..	4	...	...	...	2	2	5	...	...	...	66
73 ..	2	2	3	3	2	1	...	...	...	...	71
74 ..	3	...	...	...	1	5	1	...	...	...	52
75 ..	7	10	7	4	4	1	3	...	...	...	178
76 ..	11	8	5	3	7	1	7	...	...	...	84
77 ..	2	4	4	1	2	...	1	...	...	...	45
78 ..	3	3	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	55
79 ..	11	9	5	2	5	...	...	...	...	1	41
80 ..	1	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	25
81 ..	2	3	3	...	2	1	6	...	...	1	59
82 ..	2	2	2	...	4	1	...	...	...	1	40
83 ..	7	5	5	...	3	...	2	...	...	1	94
84 ..	9	6	6	2	...	...	6	...	...	...	69
85 ..	1	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	45
86 ..	9	6	3	1	4	2	15	...	1	...	102
87 ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	35
88 ..	4	4	2	...	3	1	...	...	...	...	75
89 ..	1	1	3	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	2
90 ..	6	4	3	1	4	2	1	...	...	...	8
91 ..	2	2	2	1	...	1	6	...	...	7	3
92 ..	10	8	6	2	4	1	3	...	...	3	12
93 ..	6	8	9	4	2	1	10	...	...	3	10
94 ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
95 ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
96 ..	3	3	1	7	1	1	1	...	...	1	7
97 ..	2	4	4	1	2	...	...	1	...	...	5
98 ..	9	8	6	2	7	...	10	...	...	2	2
99 ..	4	2	2	4	3	...	8	...	...	...	47
100 ..	4	4	3	1	3	...	2	...	...	1	43
101 ..	2	2	2	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	48
103 ..	1	2	4	...	1	1	5	...	...	...	95

sis of the Returns of Lodges for the year ending 24th June, 1881—Continued.

	Initiations.	Passings.	Raisings.	Joinings.	Withdrawals.	Deaths.	Susp. N. P. D.	Susp. U. M. C.	Expulsions.	Restorations.	No. of Mem.
..	3	2	3	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	42
..	2	1	1	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	63
..	4	3	5	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	42
..	10	12	9	1	6	...	...	...	...	1	65
..	2	1	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	20
..	1	1	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	50
..	5	7	6	1	3	2	...	...	...	...	80
..	8	7	5	...	4	...	...	...	...	1	38
..	3	2	2	...	1	2	...	...	...	1	64
..	8	8	6	2	1	1	1	1	...	1	55
..	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	38
..	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	51
..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24
..	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26
..	3	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31
..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	43
..	6	6	5	2	2	2	...	...	...	...	57
..	1	1	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	48
..	10	11	8	4	4	...	5	...	...	...	94
..	8	8	5	1	5	...	...	...	...	...	69
..	3	2	2	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	33
..	5	4	3	1	4	...	1	...	...	...	45
..	3	7	8	4	2	...	...	...	...	...	66
..	1	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	2	52
..	3	2	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	30
..	6	4	2	3	3	2	...	...	...	...	82
..	2	2	2	1	2	...	4	...	...	...	70
..	3	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	24
..	8	8	8	1	2	1	...	...	...	1	69
..	2	2	1	1	6	1	...	...	...	...	56
..	4	2	2	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	55
..	4	2	...	...	4	...	16	...	...	...	55
..	1	2	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	47
..	2	1	1	...	3	...	7	...	...	...	58
..	5	5	4	4	6	...	6	...	...	1	90
..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50
..	3	3	3	4	1	2	1	...	...	...	47
..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	45
..	...	...	...	1	5	...	...	...	...	...	61
..	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	48
..	1	2	2	...	8	...	1	...	...	...	10
..	2	2	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	62
..	6	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	46
..	3	2	2	1	4	...	...	...	...	...	49
..	7	5	5	1	3	1	...	...	...	2	48

Synopsis of the Returns of Lodges for the year ending 24th June, 1881—Continued.

NO. OF LODGE.	Initiations.	Passings.	Raisings.	Joinings.	Withdrawals.	Deaths.	Susp. N. P. D.	Susp. U. M. C.	Expulsions.	Restorations.	No. of Mem.
156 ..	4	4	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	52
157 ..	2	2	1	..	3	2	..	..	..	..	35
158 ..	3	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	33
159 ..	1	1	1	..	3	1	..	..	..	..	43
161 ..	3	4	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	52
162 ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	25
164 ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	44
165 ..	2	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	35
166 ..	2	2	..	2	1	..	2	..	..	..	49
168 ..	2	1	1	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	60
169 ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	85
170 ..	4	4	2	3	5	..	4	..	..	..	56
171 ..	3	3	3	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	37
172 ..	1	..	..	..	1	..	6	..	..	1	40
174 ..	10	11	11	1	1	1	15	..	..	1	70
176 ..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	38
177 ..	..	..	..	3	11	..	1	..	..	2	54
178 ..	3	3	3	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	44
179 ..	1	1	1	1	6	2	4	..	..	..	25
180 ..	3	3	2	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	9
181 ..	..	1	..	3	2	1	..	..	..	..	37
183 ..	4	4	2	..	3	1	9	..	..	..	27
184 ..	7	5	5	1	5	..	..	..	1	1	49
185 ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	32
186 ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	31
189 ..	4	4	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	20
190 ..	2	3	3	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	52
192 ..	3	2	3	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	58
193 ..	2	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	28
194 ..	2	4	3	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	53
195 ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	63
196 ..	1	2	2	2	..	..	4	..	..	..	49
197 ..	1	1	1	4	5	1	..	1	1	1	45
198 ..	1	1	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	67
200 ..	5	5	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	47
201 ..	3	2	4	2	7	1	5	..	..	..	72
203 ..	4	3	1	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	52
205 ..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	..	..	32
207 ..	5	2	2	2	2	..	..	..	..	2	66
209 ^a ..	9	7	5	2	7	1	7	..	..	1	95
209 ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	28
210 ..	1	1	2	..	5	..	12	..	..	1	21
212 ..	..	..	..	..	7	1	4	..	..	1	39
213 ..	1	1	..	..	16	3	2	1	..	7	23
214 ..	2	2	2	2	2	2	..	..	..	..	47

Synopsis of the Returns of Lodges for the year ending 24th June, 1881- Continued

NO. OF LODGE.	Initiations.	Passings.	Raisings.	Joinings.	Withdrawals.	Deaths.	Susp. N. P. D.	Susp. U. M. C.	Expulsions.	Restorations.	No. of Mem.
215 ...	1	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	27
216 ...	4	4	4	2	1	1	7	.....	.....	1	69
217 ...	4	3	2	2	1	.....	8	.....	.....	.....	29
218 ..	4	8	9	.....	8	1	3	.....	.....	3	85
219 ...	8	5	4	1	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	53
220 ..	7	8	10	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	60
221 ...	2	4	4	.....	5	1	12	.....	.....	1	75
222 ..	.....	.....	.....	1	3	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	22
223 ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	29
224 ...	4	4	4	.....	4	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	24
225 ..	5	5	5	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	70
228 ...	2	2	1	1	3	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	50
229 ...	11	8	7	1	5	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	83
230 ...	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	27
231 ...	3	3	3	1	1	1	.....	.....	.....	1	36
232 ...	2	2	2	.....	5	1	8	.....	.....	1	33
233 ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	34
234 ...	5	4	4	.....	2	1	.....	.....	.....	1	42
235 ...	6	6	8	1	.....	2	.....	.....	7	.....	45
236 ...	6	6	5	1	1	1	3	.....	.....	.....	24
237 ...	1	1	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1	30
238 ...	2	2	2	1	4	1	5	.....	.....	.....	39
239 ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	34
241 ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	47
242 ..	7	1	.....	.....	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	42
243 ...	6	4	4	1	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	51
245 ...	8	8	8	.....	2	1	5	.....	.....	.....	52
247 ...	2	.....	.....	4	7	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	70
248 ..	.....	.....	1	.....	1	2	2	.....	.....	.....	31
249 ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	36
250 ...	7	6	6	.....	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	55
253 ...	10	5	1	.....	8	1	4	.....	.....	2	89
254 ...	1	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	64
255 ..	3	3	3	2	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	45
256 ...	1	1	1	.....	3	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	47
257 ...	2	3	4	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	68
258 ...	5	5	4	1	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	71
259 ...	2	3	3	.....	1	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	34
260 ...	.....	.....	.....	2	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	39
261 ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28
262 ...	3	3	3	1	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	62
263 ...	5	7	7	.....	2	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	49
264 ...	2	2	3	3	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	64
265 ...	2	1	1	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	23
266 ...	1	1	1	.....	2	1	.....	.....	.....	1	28

Synopsis of the Returns of Lodges for the year ending 24th June, 1881—Continued.

No. of LODGE.	Initiations.	Passings.	Raisings.	Joinings.	Withdrawals.	Deaths.	Susp. N. P. D.	Susp. U. M. C.	Expulsions.	Restorations.	No. of Mem.
267 ..	2	1	1	1	1	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	73
268 ..	.....	1	4	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	38
269 ..	3	3	2	2	3	.....	2	.....	.....	1	38
270 ..	3	3	4	.....	2	2	.....	.....	.....	1	50
271 ..	2	1	1	.....	3	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	25
272 ..	.....	.....	.....	1	1	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	33
274 ..	1	1	1	2	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	46
276 ..	.....	.....	.....	3	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	23
277 ..	1	4	4	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	46
278 ..	1	2	3	1	2	.....	2	.....	.....	2	23
279 ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	24
280 ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	19
281 ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16
282 ..	1	.....	.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	55
283 ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	56
284 ..	5	1	1	.....	3	1	9	.....	.....	1	52
285 ..	2	3	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25
286 ..	3	2	2	.....	2	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	57
287 ..	2	2	3	2	6	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	72
289 ..	5	5	5	1	1	1	2	.....	.....	.....	64
290 ..	6	5	6	1	4	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	55
291 ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28
292 ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	22
293 ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17
294 ..	1	2	1	2	2	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	32
295 ..	6	5	4	.....	1	.....	8	.....	.....	.....	32
296 ..	2	2	1	1	4	1	3	.....	.....	1	57
297 ..	1	1	1	.....	3	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	30
299 ..	2	2	2	.....	4	1	.....	.....	.....	2	41
300 ..	2	1	1	1	4	1	3	1	.....	.....	36
301 ..	.....	1	2	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	31
302 ..	22	15	12	6	5	.....	5	.....	1	.....	102
303 ..	1	1	1	.....	1	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	29
304 ..	2	1	1	3	1	1	1	.....	.....	.....	24
305 ..	2	2	1	3	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	34
306 ..	.....	.....	.....	2	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	41
307 ..	6	5	3	2	5	.....	.....	1	.....	1	35
308 ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	39
309 ..	5	5	4	.....	1	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	44
310 ..	.....	.....	1	1	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18
311 ..	1	1	1	.....	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	24
312 ..	10	6	5	.....	.....	.....	8	.....	.....	.....	77
313 ..	4	6	6	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	34
314 ..	5	5	6	3	4	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	55
315 ..	4	1	.....	.....	3	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	17

Synopsis of the Returns of Lodges for the year ending 24th June, 1881- Continue

NO. OF LODGE	Initiations.	Passings.	Raisings.	Joinings.	Withdrawals.	Deaths.	Susp. N. P. D.	Susp. U. M. C.	Expulsions.	Restorations.	No. Members
361 ...	4	2	1	4	2	.....	1	.....	.....	.....
362 ...	3	4	3	.....	2	.....	1	.....	.....	.....
363 ...	2	2	2	2	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
364 ..	2	4	5	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	
365 ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
366 ...	9	4	3	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
367 ...	7	9	9	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
368 ..	6	7	5	2	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
369 ...	4	1	1	2	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
370 ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
371 ..	4	4	9	.....	1	.....	5	.....	.....	.....
372 ...	2	2	2	1	1	.....	.....	1	.....	.....
373 ...	5	5	4	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
374 ...	3	4	4	.....	2	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
375 ...	2	2	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
376 ...	3	5	5	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
377 ...	6	3	4	1	3	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
378 ...	3	5	4	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
379 ...	6	6	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
380 ...	13	10	10	21	4	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
381 ...	12	11	11	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
382 ...	2	3	2	25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
383 ...	7	7	7	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
384 ..	4	3	3	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
385 ...	15	14	9	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
386 ...	4	4	5	2	1	.....	4	.....	.....	.....
387 ...	3	2	2	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
388 ...	4	4	4	1	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
389 ..	6	5	2	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
390 ..	4	3	3	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
391 ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
392 ...	2	2	1	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
393 ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
394 ..	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
395 ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
U. D..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	1,255	1,106	1,019	411	799	174	637	14	13	134	17,

RECAPITULATION

OF THE RETURNS OF LODGES FOR THE YEAR ENDING 24TH JUNE,
1881, AS FAR AS HEARD FROM.

Lodges Organized and Affiliated.....	398
" Extinct.....	10
" Ceded to Grand Lodge of Quebec.....	38
" " " " Manitoba.....	4
" Number on Roll.....	346
" Represented in Grand Lodge.....	264
Initiations Reported.....	1,255
Passings ".....	1,106
Raisings ".....	1,019
Joinings ".....	411
Restorations ".....	134
Resignations ".....	799
Deaths.....	174
Suspensions for Non-payment of Dues.....	637
" for Unmasonic Conduct.....	14
Expulsions.....	13
Members in Good Standing.....	17,635
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Gross Receipts for the Seventeen Months ending 31st May,	
1881.....	\$21,499.85
Assets of Grand Lodge as per Grand Treasurer's Statement 31st	
May, 1881.....	\$63,401.90

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PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
GRAND LODGE

OF
Ancient, Free & Accepted Masons
OF CANADA,

AT SPECIAL COMMUNICATIONS

Held at Belleville, on the 4th October, A. L. 5881; at Salford, on the 14th June, A. L. 5882, and at Simcoe, on the 1st July, A. L. 5882; also at the

TWENTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL COMMUNICATION



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Grand Lodge of Canada.

PROCEEDINGS.

At an Especial Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, of Canada, held at the City of Belleville, on Tuesday the 4th day of October, A. D. 1881, A. L. 5881.

PRESENT :

R. W. Bro.	L. H. Henderson,	Acting Grand Master.
" "	S. S. Lazier,	as Deputy Grand Master.
" "	James Smith,	as Senior Warden.
" "	A. Gunn,	as Junior "
" "	Revd. W. C. Clarke	as Chaplain.
V. "	Geo. D. Dickson,	as Treasurer.
" "	Robt. Newbery,	as Registrar.
" "	W. L. Hamilton,	as Secretary.
" "	D. Pitceathly,	as Senior Deacon.
" "	Dr. Yonker,	as Junior "
R. "	E. J. Sisson,	as Sup't of Works.
" "	Alfred Ellis,	as Dir. of Cer.
" "	William Davis,	as Ass't "
" "	W. H. Pouton,	as Sword Bearer.
" "	J. Parker Thomas,	as Organist,
" "	John McKeown,	as Pursuivant.
" "	James Macoun,	as
" "	Robert Dick,	as
" "	J. Kemp,	as
" "	J. J. Farley,	as
" "	Geo. Graham,	as
" "	Donald Urquhart,	as Tyler.

The lights were borne by W. Bros. J. H. Simpson, W. Stafford, and R. Finch.

The Corn by W. Bro. E. B. Fralick.

“ Wine “ “ Robt. Gordon.

“ Oil “ “ A. A. Farley.

Together with Masters, Past Masters, and brethren hailing from the following lodges, viz.:—Moirs No. 11; Trent No. 88; Stirling No. 69; Belleville No. 128; Lake No. 215; Quinte No. 241; Mystic No. 278; Eureka No. 288.

The Grand Lodge was opened in *form*, at 1.30 p. m.

The Acting Grand Master then announced the object of convening this Grand Lodge, which was for the purpose of laying, with Masonic ceremonies, the corner-stone of “Christ Church,” now being erected in the city of Belleville.

The brethren were then formed in procession by the Acting Grand Director of Ceremonies, and marched from the Masonic Hall to the site of the church, where the procession halted and opened out, facing inwards, when the Acting Grand Officers passed through to the north-east corner of the intended structure, where a spacious platform had been erected for their convenience.

The procession was accompanied by the band of the “15th Battalion Argyle Light Infantry,” and the Oddfellows’ band, and was witnessed by a large number of spectators along the line of march.

After the Grand Officers had ascended the platform, the Acting Grand Master delivered the following address:—

Men and brethren assembled here to-day to behold this ceremony: Know all of you, that we are lawful Masons, true to the laws of our country, professing to fear God the Great Architect of the Universe, to honor the Queen, to confer benefits

upon our brethren, and to practice benevolence to all mankind. We have among us, concealed from the outside world, secrets which may not be revealed, but these secrets are honorable and in no way repugnant to either the laws of God or man. They were wisely and safely entrusted to the Freemasons of ancient times, and having been faithfully transmitted to us, it is our duty to convey them unimpaired to future generations. Our duties as Masons are, first, a reverence for the Most High God, and a strict obedience to His most holy will and word; obedience to the laws of the country in which we may reside; and, lastly, brotherly love, charity and truth to our fellow-men. On these grand principles has our Order been founded and reared up. It is limited to no sect, rank or nationality. Masonry, from its inherent goodness, has been diffused over the face of the habitable globe, and is patronized by all ranks. Its aims are, as far as human aid can effect, to promote peace and good-will by inculcating lessons of kindness and courtesy to all, in soothing the roughness of our temper and in refraining from allowing differences of opinion to disturb our worst passions. The Bible, ever open in our lodge, teaches us the duty we owe to our Creator and likewise to our fellow-men. It inspires us with awe and reverence for the Great Architect of the Universe; it directs us to practice truth, justice and charity to all alike. Unless the Craft were good and the calling honorable, it could not have lasted for so many centuries, nor should we have been honored with the patronage of so many great and illustrious men of all ages, who have ever been ready and willing to promote our interests and defend us from all adversaries. We are assembled here to-day, in the presence of you all, to lay the foundation stone of this edifice, which is to be dedicated to the service of God. May the work prosper to completion, and may the word preached within these walls be instrumental in bringing many from darkness unto light, and finally lead them to that great congregation above, where the world's Great Architect lives and reigns forever.

The 15th Batt. band then played "Old Hundred."

The Acting Grand Chaplain, R. W. Bro. Rev. Dr. Clarke offered up the following prayer:—

"O, Thou Great Architect of the Universe, Maker and Rule of all things, visible and invisible, vouchsafe from thy Heavenly Temple to help us in all the purposes of our present assembly; and grant unto us, at this and at all times, wisdom in all our doings, strength of mind in all our difficulties, and the beauty of harmony in all our communications, to the end that we may set forth thy glory, illustrate eternal truth in all our works, and exhibit in our own lives rectitude of aim, humility of deportment, and purity of character. Permit us, O, Thou Author of life and light, great and only source of love and happiness, to erect this our earthly temple to thine honor, to the public good, and to the salvation of those who may worship Thee therein, so that hereafter this edifice may subserve the sacred use for which it is intended. Grant this, Father of all, for the sake of thy Great name. Glory be to God on high."

The Acting Grand Secretary, W. Bro. W. L. Hamilton, read the following scroll:—

By the favor of Almighty God, on the 4th day of October, A.
D. 1881, A. L. 5881,

And in the 45th year of the reign of our beloved sovereign,
Queen Victoria,

By the Grace of God Queen of Great Britain and Ireland,
Empress of India, Defender of the Faith.

His Excellency John Douglas Sutherland Campbell, K. T.,
G. C. M. G., P. C., Marquis of Lorne, Governor-
General of Canada.

The Right Honorable Sir John A. Macdonald, K. C. B., G. C. M. G., P. C., Premier of Canada.

The Honorable John Beverley Robinson, Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario.

The Honorable Oliver Mowat, Premier of Ontario.

Lieut.-Col. James Moffat, M. W. Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free, and Accepted Masons of Canada.

Rev. W. C. Clarke, Ph. D., Rector.

Robert Newbery and James W. Dunnet, Churchwardens.

The corner-stone of this Christ Church was laid by W. Bro. L. H. Henderson, P. D. D. G. M. of Prince Edward District.

**Attended and assisted by an Especial Grand Lodge of Freemasons of Canada, and various lodges and brethren—
Whom may God prosper!**

The scroll was then deposited in the casket, which contains the following newspapers:—The *Intelligencer* and *Ontario*, of Belleville; the *Mail*, *Globe*, *Evangelical Churchman*, and *Dominion Churchman*, of Toronto; and the *Daily News*, of Kingston.

The current coins of the Dominion of Canada, namely—50 cents, 25 cents, 10 cents, 5 cents, and 1 cent.

The presentation of the trowel to the Acting Grand Master was then proceeded with, the presentation being made by Mr. J. W. Dunnet, Chairman of the Building Committee. The trowel is a very handsome one; the plate is of silver, richly chased, and the handle of ebony. The following inscription was engraved on the plate:—

PRESENTED TO

Right Worshipful Bro. L. H. Henderson,
P. D. D. G. M.

of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of Canada, by the
Building Committee,

upon the occasion of laying the corner-stone of Christ Church,
in the City of Belleville, Oct. 4th, A. D. 1881.

In making the presentation Mr. Dunnet said:—

RIGHT WORSHIPFUL SIR,—The Building Committee of Christ Church, through me, present you with this trowel, not only in commemoration of the important work to which you and your brethren have so kindly lent their aid to-day, but also as a slight testimonial of their high esteem for you personally. They trust that while the church which is to be erected rests upon the foundation which you lay, the Church within its walls may rest upon that sure foundation which is laid in Zion by the Maker and Builder of all things.

The stone was then lowered into its place, with the usual ceremonies, the Acting Grand Master saying:—"I spread this cement as an emblem of that cement of peace and good-will which I trust will ever prevail in the sacred edifice to be erected; and may its heaven pointed spire remind the congregation, under God's blessing, of the mansions of bliss from which all good emanates."

The Acting Deputy Grand Master, Senior and Junior Wardens, having performed their respective duties, the Acting Grand Master struck the stone three times with the gavel and said;—"Well made, truly laid, true and trusty, may this undertaking be conducted and completed according to the Grand Plan, in peace, harmony, and brotherly love. So mote it be."

The corn, wine, and oil was then poured upon the stone,

the Acting Grand Master saying:—"I strew corn upon the stone as an emblem of plenty; I pour wine upon it as an emblem of cheerfulness; and I anoint it with oil as an emblem of comfort and consolation. May corn, wine and oil, and all the necessities of life, abound among men, and may the blessing of the Supreme Architect of the Universe be upon this edifice and all connected with it."

Response—"So mote it be."

The plans having been presented to the Acting Grand Master, he presented them to the architect, saying:—

"The foundation stone of this building being now laid, I present to you the implements applied to it, also the plans, in full confidence that as a skilful workman you will use them in such a manner that the building will be perfected and will rise in harmony, beauty and strength."

He also addressed the Rev. Incumbent as follows:—

"Having completed our work according to ancient usage, I now wish that every success may attend your and the congregation's endeavors, that as the work has been happily begun it will, with God's blessing, be carried to a happy ending. May I remark that when on the chancel arch you will emblazon that prophetic sentence, 'Glory to God in the Highest, and peace on earth, good-will towards men,' you will remember that written within our mystic halls we have inscribed in letters of gold, on the cope stone of the arch and on the pillars, these words of far greater antiquity, 'Holiness to the Lord, Brotherly Love, Relief and Truth'; and then your parishioners and our brethren are alike reminded of their duty to God and man."

The procession was then re-formed, and returned to the Masonic Hall, when Grand Lodge was closed in *form*.

ATTEST.



J. J. Mason
Grand Secretary.

Grand Lodge of Canada.

PROCEEDINGS.

n Especial Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of Canada, held at Salford Wednesday, the 14th day of June, A. D. 1882, A. L. 592.

PRESENT:

- V. Bro. James Moffat, Grand Master, on the Throne.
- V. “ Robert Lewis, as Deputy Grand Master.
- “ William Hayden, Grand Senior Warden.
- “ W. A. Woolson, as “ Junior “
- “ Jas. McIntyre, as “ Chaplain.
- “ John Hargreaves, as “ Treasurer.
- “ J. J. Mason, “ Secretary.
- “ Robert Vance, as “ Senior Deacon.
- “ John Warnock, as “ Junior “
- “ Wm. Thompson, as “ Supt. of Works.
- “ Hugh Kerr, as “ Dir. of Ceremonies.
- “ James Badden, as “ Asst. Secretary.
- “ James Gustin, as “ “ Dir. of Cer.
- “ Matthew Day, as “ Pursuivant.
- “ Thomas Brock, “ Steward.
- “ Charles King, “ “
- “ J. C. Hegler, as “ “
- “ H. O'Connor, Jr., as “ “
- “ Angus McLeod, as “ Tyler.

ther with Masters, Past Masters, and brethren, hailing the following lodges, viz.:—St. John's 20, London;

Strict Observance 27, Hamilton; Composite 30, Whitby; King Hiram, 87, Ingersoll; King Solomon's 48, Woodstock, Kilwinning, 64, London; St. John's 68, Ingersoll; King Solomon's, 894, Thamesford, and others.

The Grand Lodge was opened in *Ample Form* at half-past one o'clock afternoon, in the lodge-room of King Hiram Lodge 87, and St. John's Lodge 68, Ingersoll, and from thence the brethren proceeded in carriages to the site of the proposed church, near Salford, when the procession was re-formed, the ranks opened out, and faced inwards, and the Grand Master, supported by the Grand Officers, passed through to the north-east corner.

Bro. James McIntyre, Acting Grand Chaplain, then offered up the following prayer:—

Great Architect of the Universe, Maker and Ruler of all worlds, deign from Thy Celestial Temple; from realms of light and glory, to help us in all the purposes of this present assembly. We humbly invoke Thee to give us, at this and all times, wisdom in our doings, strength of mind in all our difficulties, and the beauty of harmony in all our communications. Permit us, O Thou Author of Life and Light, Great Source of love and happiness, to erect this church set apart for Thy glory and honor, designed in wisdom, raised in strength, and finished in beauty. May we all be characterized by faith in God, hope unfailing, and charity toward all.

The Grand Secretary then deposited the scroll in the cavity of the stone, together with sundry documents, papers and coins.

The Pastor of the Church, the Rev. David Hunt, then presented to the Grand Master a very handsome trowel, bearing the following inscription:—

PRESENTED TO

LIEUT. COL. MOFFAT, G. M.,

On the occasion of his laying the corner-stone of the
CANADA METHODIST CHURCH, SALFORD,
June 14, A.L. 5882.

The Grand Master having suitably returned thanks for the handsome gift, the ceremony of laying the stone was performed, in accordance with the usages of the Craft.

The Grand Master then addressed those present, after which the brethren were hospitably entertained by the ladies of the congregation.

The brethren then returned to the lodge-room at Ingersoll, and Grand Lodge was closed in *Ample Form*.

ATTEST.



J. J. Watson
Grand Secretary.

Grand Lodge of Canada.

PROCEEDINGS.

At an Especial Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of Canada, held at the Town of Simcoe on Saturday, the 1st day of July, A. 1882, A. L. 5882.

PRESENT:

M. W. Bro.	James Moffat,	Grand Master,	on the Throne.
R. W. Bro.	G. C. Eden,	as Deputy Grand Master.	
" "	William Hayden,	Grand Senior Warden	
V. "	Robert Lewis	as "	Junior "
R. "	Evans Davis,	"	Chaplain.
" "	John Wilson,	as "	Treasurer.
R. "	E. H. Long,	"	Registrar.
" "	J. J. Mason,	"	Secretary.
" "	John S. Dewar,	as "	Senior Deacon
" "	Robert Wood,	as "	Junior "
V. "	H. W. Ansley,	as "	Supt. of Work
" "	H. J. Vincent,	as "	Dir. of Ceremonies
" "	J. T. Chadwick,	as "	Asst. Dir. of Work
" "	Alex. Hess,	as "	" Secretary
" "	G. F. Counter,	as "	Sword Bearer
" "	Wm. Kennedy,	as "	Organist.
" "	James Hayes,	as "	Asst. Organist
" "	J. W. Ryerson,	as "	Pursuivant.

V.	"	"	Lewis Beam,	as	Grand	} Stewards.
"	"	"	John Campbell,	as	"	
"	"	"	Charles Stark,	as	"	
"	"	"	J. L. Brown.	as	"	
"	"	"	F. Cope,	as	"	
"	"	"	Wm. Todd,	as	"	
"	"	"	W. F. Tibbets,	as	"	
"	"	"	S. B. McMichael,	as	"	} Tyler.
"	"	"	F. J. Hood,	as	"	

Together with Masters, Past Masters, and brethren, hailing from the following lodges, viz.:

Barton 6, Hamilton; Norfolk, 10, Simcoe; St. John's 20, London; Strict Observance 27, Hamilton; Kilwinning 64, London; King Hiram 78, Tilsonburg; Wilson 118, Waterford; Erie 149, Port Dover; Merritt 168, Welland; Scotland 193, Scotland; Tuscan 195, London; St. John's 209a, London; Frederick 217, Delhi; Vienna 287, Vienna; New Hope 279 Hespeler; St. David's 302, St. Thomas; King Solomon's 329, Jarvis; Langton 385, Langton; Vittoria 350, Vittoria; Campbellton, 32, Campbellton, New Brunswick; Manchester, 179, Manchester, England; and others.

The Grand Lodge was opened in **Ample Form** at half past one o'clock afternoon, in the Lodge-room of Norfolk Lodge No. 10, and from thence the brethren marched in procession, preceded by the Band of the 39th Battalion, to the site of the proposed church.

The front of the procession having reached the site, a halt was made, and the ranks opened out, and faced inwards, when the Grand Master, supported by the Grand Officers, passed through to the North-east corner, where a platform had been erected for their convenience. It had been arranged that the Church of England Service should take place first, and accordingly, as soon as the Grand Master had been received and

welcomed, the proceedings were commenced by the Rev. W. B. Evans, M.A., reading the 87th Psalm, followed by the Rev. John Gemley, M.A., who read part of the sixteenth chapter of the Gospel according to St. Matthew.

The last named gentleman, after expressing his pleasure and thankfulness at the presence of the honorable Order, and remarking that not being yet a Mason, he could not as fully appreciate their kindness, said:—

“In the services and ceremony of this day in connection with Trinity Church, we have to observe that in some respects this is the third ceremony in connection with the first building erected for divine service according to the custom and usages of the Church of England in Simcoe. The old church, the last of which has been removed to give place to the edifice now in process of erection, was built in the year 1849. Prior to that date the services were conducted in a school-house in the town. The erection of the chancel and the transepts, which are to form a part of the new structure, took place in the year 1860. The ceremony of to-day is, from the reasons just given, historically, and in fact, connected with the old that has gone, and to the addition yet remaining, and which will be to the new as it was to the old, that portion of the sacred edifice in which the most solemn rites and services, and the sacraments, will continue to be observed. In a sense scarcely noticeable unless by architect, builder or workman, the old church will yet be found in the new, as many of the venerable and well-tried bricks of the old walls will have their share in the solidity and strength of the new. Thus, like latent virtues, they serve a valuable and useful purpose, though concealed, save in some of their effects, from the glance of the passing traveller. So may the virtues of the living stones, now no more on earth, continue in their moral influence and power to aid those who yet remain. The first Rectory—that is, of the Parish of Woodhouse, in which the church in the town of Simcoe was embraced—was the late

Rev. Dr. Evans. He entered upon his duties in 1828, and after a faithful and zealous ministry of thirty years, was called to his reward in 1858. The next Rector was the late Rev. Canon Grasett, who commenced his labors in Simcoe in 1859, and was summoned to his fathers in 1879, after twenty years' service. The present Rector of Woodhouse, Rev. W. B. Evans, son of the first Rector, is with us to day and taking part in the services. Your present Rector is therefore, strictly speaking, the first Rector of Simcoe. We ask at least the moral support of all who now hear us—first, because the new church will be an improvement upon the old, and in addition to those buildings in this beautiful little town, which give evidence of architectural taste, three beautiful memorial windows will be constructed, thus making four, to adorn the new church; second, it will be comfortable, as regards heating and lighting, and will be the first church building in Simcoe to be lighted with gas. The ladies of the congregation are entering heartily into the internal comforts of the church, and, from the work they have already done, they have shown themselves both generous and judicious, and of exceeding good taste. The organ has been made new, or perhaps better than new. The public will be heartily welcomed in the new, as they were in the old. The pews will be free at the Sunday evening services. He cordially welcomed every denomination to visit Trinity Church whenever they had an opportunity, and concluded by praying that the blessing of God might rest upon all connected with the work in which they were about to engage.

The following ode was then sung:—

Accept, Great Builder of the Skies,
Our heartfelt acts of sacrifice;
Each Brother found a living stone,
While bending low before Thy throne.

While Craftsmen true their work prepare,
With thoughts unstained and holy care,

May each be fitly formed and placed
Where Love Divine his hope had traced.

With all my powers of heart and tongue,
I'll praise my Maker in my song;
Angels shall hear the notes I raise,
Approve the song and join the praise.

Praise God from whom all blessings flow,
Praise Him all creatures here below,
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host,
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

R. W. Bro. the Rev. Evans Davis, Grand Chaplain, having offered up a suitable prayer, the Grand Secretary read the following scroll :

By the Favor of Almighty God:

On the first day of July, A. D. MDCCCLXXXII, of the era
of Masonry 5882,

And in the forth-sixth year of the reign of our gracious and
much-beloved Sovereign,

Victoria,

Queen of Great Britain, Ireland, and the Dependencies in
Europe, Asia and Africa, the Dominion of Canada,
Australasia, Empress of India, &c., &c.

His Excellency the Marquis of Lorne, Governor-General of
the Dominion of Canada,

The Honorable John Beverley Robinson, Lieutenant-Governor
of the Province of Ontario.

John Wilson, Esquire, M. D., Mayor of the Town of Simcoe

The Right Revd. L. Helmuth, D. D., LL. D., Lord Bishop
of Huron.

Revd. John Gemley, M. A., Rector.

James F. Wilson and H. H. Groff, Esquires, Churchwardens;
 Edmund Deedes, Esquire, Chairman; and John H.
 Ansley, James F. Wilson, H. H. Groff, Esquires,
 and Dr. John Wilson, Building Committee.
 Messrs. Darling & Curry, Architects.
 J. B. Crane, Contractor.

This Corner-Stone of Trinity Church

was laid by James Moffat, Esquire, Grand Master of the
 Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. Masons of Canada, as-
 sisted by the Grand Officers and a large con-
 course of the brethren, in accordance with
 the ceremonies and usages of the
 Order.

Which may The G. A. O. T. U. ever protect and prosper.

The Grand Secretary then announced that in the glass
 bottle to be deposited in the cavity in the stone, were placed

The Scroll.

Proceedings of Grand Lodge, 1881.

A list of Grand Lodge officers.

A list of the officers and members of Norfolk Lodge, No. 10.

A copy of the proceedings of the Synod of Huron, 1881.

A copy of the daily *Mail*, daily *Globe*, *Norfolk Reformer*, *Brit-
 ish Canadian*, *Dominion Churchman*, and *Evangelical
 Churchman*.

The Municipal Council and Town Officials, Town of Simcoe,
 1882.

Canadian coins of the denomination of 50, 25, 10, 5 and 1
 cent pieces.

W. Bro. John Wilson, M. D., Mayor of the town, and Mas-
 ter of Norfolk Lodge, then presented the Grand Master, on
 behalf of the brethren, with a beautiful specimen of the silver-

smith's handiwork, which bore the following inscription:—
 “Presented to James Moffat, Esq., M. W. Grand Master A. F. & A. Masons of Canada, on the occasion of laying the corner-stone of Trinity Church, Simcoe, Dominion Day, 1st July, 1882.”

The Grand Master, on receiving the trowel, said he accepted it with pleasure, as a memento of this day's proceedings. It was an important implement of masonry, both from an operative and a speculative point of view. He purposed using it at the present time as an operative Mason, to spread the cement which was calculated to bind the building into one common mass, and would immediately apply it to that purpose.

The cement having been spread, the upper stone was lowered with three halts, at which intervals the band played bars of the National Anthem. When it had been guided into its proper place, the principal Grand Officers applied the plumb, rule, level and square, and having reported that the stone was just, true and properly laid, the Grand Master struck the stone three times with the gavel, and said:—Well made, truly laid, true and trusty. May this undertaking be conducted and completed by the craftsmen according to the Grand Plan in peace, harmony and brotherly love. Corn, Wine and Oil were poured upon the stone with symbolical explanations, and the Grand Master entrusted to the architect and builders the tools and plans with which to complete the building.

The M. W. the Grand Master, then delivered the following address:—Reverend Sir, men and women here assembled to-day—Many of you are here, no doubt, through curiosity to see what is to be seen and hear what is to be said. Know you, then, that we are lawful Masons, true to the laws of our country, and established of old, with peace and honor in most countries; to do good to our brethren and fellow creatures; to assist in the erection of buildings, and to fear God, who is the great Architect of all things. We have, indeed, certain

secrets not to be revealed, but these secrets are lawful and honorable, and unless our Craft were good and our calling honest, we should not have existed for so many centuries, or have had so many illustrious men ever ready to sanction our proceedings and contribute to our prosperity. We feel that our Ancient Order is founded upon the purest principles of piety and virtue, and that it inculcates the carrying out of those golden precepts:—"Do unto others as you would they should do unto you," and "love your neighbor as yourself." In all ages, Masons have borne their part in the erection of stately edifices, but in none do they take so much interest as in those intended for the public worship of God, the promulgation of His wise and just laws and commands, and the making known His most inexhaustible mercies. To operative Masons the corner, or foundation stone, of every building is of primary importance, and as Freemasons we call the attention of every newly-made brother to its symbolical meaning, and tell him that on his admittance he figuratively represents that stone, and that we trust he will, on the foundation then and there laid, raise a superstructure perfect in all its parts, honorable to our ancient institution and creditable to himself. To-day we are here assembled by request to assist in the interesting ceremony of laying, with appropriate forms and according to ancient custom, the corner-stone of this new church. And, while admiring the energy of its promoters, we pray God to prosper the undertaking, if it seems to Him good, and may His blessing rest upon all who worship within its walls. May the pastor who officiates be the means of winning souls to Christ, and may we one and all perform with diligence our allotted tasks while it is yet day, and so conduct ourselves that we may be admitted to the Grand Lodge above, where the Grand Architect of the Universe reigns for ever and ever. He then introduced the Grand Chaplain,

R. W. Bro. Evans Davis, M.A., of London South, who, in

the course of an exceedingly fervent and timely address, said:—

I need hardly say I feel very much pleasure in being able to take part in the pleasant ceremonies of the day; but fear, from the very flattering remarks of the Grand Master with reference to myself, I may not be able to gratify your expectations. However, I can truly say I take a deep interest in the welfare and prosperity of our ancient Order. I stand before you to-day, not only as an officer of the Grand Lodge, but as a minister of the Gospel of Christ—one whose duty and privilege it is to make known the unsearchable riches of our God and Saviour. To both of these institutions I am bound by the most solemn vows, by ties the strongest and most sacred. I can truly say I am proud of the position I occupy in the venerable Church of which I am a member, and also in the God-honored institution of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, under whose auspices the corner-stone of this house of prayer has now been laid. For my own part, I cannot separate the teachings and principles of one from the other. I make bold to say that he who is a good and true Freemason, practicing the principles taught in every degree, will be a better man, and more useful in the sphere of life in which it may please God to place him. (Applause.) Freemasonry teaches us the great fatherhood of God and the great brotherhood of man—that we should love, reverence and obey His word and will. Then the trowel teaches us to spread the cement of brotherly love—as has been justly said, to remember we are God's children, placed here to help and assist one another. To the brethren of the fraternity, I would urgently request them so to live that no disgrace may be brought upon themselves or upon our noble Order. The eyes of the world are upon you. Show that you are men of honor. Let the grand principles of brotherly love, relief and truth be exhibited in your daily lives and actions, so that it may be seen that Freemasonry is a living reality. It shall thus stand for ages to come, as it has for centuries past, the admiration of the

world. Many widows have had reason to bless God for the benevolent doings of our members, and many helpless orphans have been raised from ignorance and despair to occupy a position alike honorable to themselves and to those of our Order who cared for them. (Cheers.) While Freemasonry is not religion, yet it truly is its handmaid, and to-day rejoices in this work of erecting a temple to the honor of God and of his Christ. May the blessing of the Almighty rest upon the work thus so auspiciously commenced; may God protect and defend every workman who may be engaged in its erection from accident; may He bless, defend and prosper the minister here in holy things; may many precious souls come within its sacred walls, and be drawn from the world and sin to Christ the Saviour; may every blessing rest upon the ministers and officers who are thus engaged in this great and good work. Brethren and friends, let us learn from the history of Solomon's Temple a lesson of importance. The material for that grand structure was prepared far away from where it was erected, so that not a hammer was heard nor chisel used as the stones were fitted together. So in the spiritual temple. Our souls must be prepared here, as stones for the temple above. Your lambskin apron is symbolical of purity. You are taught in your initiatory degrees to keep yourselves unsullied from the vices of the world, and thereby the better fit yourselves for the spiritual building not made with hands, eternal in the heavens. Let us endeavor to profit by the lessons taught us, and may the gavel be used frequently to strike off the rough edges, and may we one and all, at last, be welcomed into the Father's home above for Christ's dear namesake.

Three hearty cheers were then given at the command of the Grand Master for the Queen, and subsequently by the brethren for the Grand Master.

The procession was then re-formed, and the brethren returned to the lodge-room, and after the Grand Master had ex-

pressed his gratification at the successful nature of the day's proceedings, and his thanks for the kind hospitality extended to the visiting brethren, the Grand Lodge was closed in *Imple* *form*.

ATTEST:



J. J. Marlow

Grand Secretary.

Grand Lodge of Canada.

PROCEEDINGS.

At the Twenty-Seventh Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of Canada, held in the Grand Opera House, in the City of London, commencing on Wednesday, the 12th day of July, A. D. 1882, A. L. 5882.

PRESENT :

M. W. Bro. James Moffat, Grand Master,

On the Throne.

R.	W. Bro. Daniel Spry,	Deputy Grand Master.
"	" " Wm. Hayden,	Grand Senior Warden.
"	" " W. A. Gunn,	" Junior Warden.
"	" " Evans Davis,	" Chaplain.
"	" " Edward Mitchell,	" Treasurer.
"	" " E. H. Long,	" Registrar.
"	" " J. J. Mason,	" Secretary.
V.	" " Richard Radcliffe,	" Senior Deacon.
"	" " Francis Gallow,	" Junior Deacon,
R.	" " R. J. Hovenden, as	" Sup't of Works.
V.	" " C. E. Klotz,	" Dir. of Ceremonies.
"	" " J. E. Harrison, Asst.	" Secretary.
"	" " Gage J. Miller,	" Sword Bearer.
"	" " James Newell,	" Organist.
"	" " J. J. Smyth,	" Pursuivant.

V. W. Bro. Walter S. Lee	}	Grand Stewards.
" " " Charles King,		
" " " Thomas Brock,		
" " " John Satchell,		
" " " J. F. H. Gunn,		
" " " Wm. Smith, as		
" " " W. C. Coulson, as	}	Grand Tyler.
" " F. J. Hood,		

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R. W. Bro. T. C. Macnabb,	St. Clair District.
" " " Wm. Milner,	London "
" " " G. C. Eden,	Wilson "
" " " De Witt H. Martyn,	Huron "
" " " S. S. McCormack,	Wellington "
" " " W. G. Reid,	Hamilton "
" " " J. M. Dunn,	Niagara "
" " " J. B. Dixon,	Toronto "
" " " John Creasor, Q. C.,	Georgian "
" " " G. H. F. Dartnell,	Ontario "
" " " J. S. Loomis, M.D.	P. Edward "
" " " A. F. Milliken,	St. Lawrence "

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- R. W. Bro. T. C. Macnabb**, Representative of the Grand Lodge of South Carolina.
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- R. W. Bro. J. E. Harding**, Representative of the Grand Lodge of West Virginia.
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V. W. Bro. Robert Lewis, Representative of the Grand Lodge of Rhode Island.

W. Bro. L. G. Jarvis, Representative of the Grand Lodge of Ohio.

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“ “ “ J. A. Henderson, Q.C.,	“
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“ “ “ J. M. Banghart,	“
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“ “ “ Robert Mackay,	“

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“ R. J. Hovenden,	“
“ Henry Macpherson,	“
“ David McLellan,	“
“ Allan McLean,	“
“ G. J. Waugh,	“
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“ John Walsh,	“
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“ J. Greenfield,	“
“ H. A. Mackay,	“
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“ James Wilson,	“
“ M. D. Dawson,	P. G. J. Deacon.
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“ J. M. Gibson,	P. Asst, G. Sec.
“ Donald McPhie,	“
“ William Forbes,	P. G. Sword Bearer.--
“ Robert Lewis,	“
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“ C. A. Sippi,	“

V. W. Bro.	B. Rothwell,	P. Asst. G. Organist.
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" "	" E. E. Kitchen,	P. G. Pursuivant,
" "	" G. R. Vanzant,	"
" "	" Jos. Beck,	P. G. Steward.
" "	" C. Doeblor,	"
" "	" John Fisher,	"
" "	" George Hodgetts,	"
" "	" Hugh Hyndman,	"
" "	" Isaac Huber,	"
" "	" F. W. H. C. Jarvis,	"
" "	" T. R. Powell,	"
" "	" J. Ross Robertson,	"
" "	" A. Whittaker,	"

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" "	W. R. Anderson.	" "	H. Bickford.
" "	C. E. S. Black.	" "	J. F. Brasford.
" "	H. A. Baxter.	V. "	Thomas Brock.
" "	W. D. Bright.	" "	J. E. Beeton.
" "	R. C. Bruce.	R. "	J. G. Burns.
" "	O. Bascom.	V. "	Jos. Beck.
" "	James Brown	R. "	P. J. Brown.
" "	J. B. Bishop.	" "	R. A. Barton.
" "	Fred'k Bates.	R. "	J. M. Banghart.
" "	W. R. Browne.	" "	D. B. Burch.
" "	J. W. Broderick.	" "	Thomas Beattie.
" "	Fred'k Bailey.	R. "	G. S. Birrell.
" "	C. Benedict.	" "	Benjamin Bell.
" "	James Broddy.	" "	W. T. Bray.
" "	H. A. Baker.	" "	Stephen Browne.
" "	M. W. Bridgman.		
R. "	" John W. Coy.	" "	H. Couzens.

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"	"	Robert Cornish.	"	"	J. E. Cohoe.
"	"	G. F. Co'unter.	"	"	John Callard.
"	"	P. A. Craig.	"	"	A. Carman.
"	"	Jos. Clark.	"	"	Hy. Cameron.
"	"	John Cameron.	"	"	D. Campbell.
"	"	W. C. Clarke.	"	"	W. H. G. Colles.
"	"	J. W. Cameron.	"	"	J. B. Cook.
"	"	W. H. Chittick.	"	"	C. A. Conover.
"	"	Wm. Dougan.	V. "	"	M. D. Dawson.
"	"	S. R. Dales.	"	"	C. Dobler.
"	"	Robt. Dick.	R. "	"	G. H. F. Dartnell.
"	"	John Davidson.	"	"	J. M. Dunn.
"	"	W. H. Dunlop.	"	"	Evans Davis.
"	"	W. H. Dickson.	"	"	M. Day.
"	"	A. Ellis, jr.	R. "	"	G. C. Eden.
"	"	G. A. Enony.	"	"	Thos. Ellison.
"	"	M. Eacrett.	"	"	Robt. Edgar.
"	"	Geo. Eacrett.	V. "	"	Wm. Forbes.
"	"	John Ferguson.	"	"	Benj, Freer.
"	"	C. H. Foster.	V. "	"	John Fisher.
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"	"	J. E. Harding.	"	"	C. W. Harte.
"	"	L. H. Henderson.	"	"	W. L. Hamilton.
"	"	H. Hyndman.	"	"	R. W. Hillary.
"	"	Isaac Huber.	"	"	W. S. Hodgins.
"	"	J. A. Henderson.	"	"	Ralph Hodson.

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V. " " J. E. Harrison.	" " Wm. Haythorn —
" " W. H. Holmes.	" " C. Hendry, jr.
" " John Hewer.	" " W. Harrison.
" " Jas. Holmes.	" " R. R. Hopkins.
" " W. H. Jackson.	" " Robt. Jordan.
" " W. R. Jamison.	" " L. G. Jarvis.
R. " " Alex. Irvine.	" " Joshua Irvine.
" " A. Jamieson.	" " J. J. Jelly.
" " John Jones.	V. " " C. King.
" " J. C. Kearns.	" " Wm. Kerns.
V. " " E. E. Kitchen.	" " Wm. Kennedy.
" " " C. E. Klotz.	" " E. Kester.
R. " " Otto Klotz.	" " L. S. Kennedy.
M. " " J. K. Kerr.	" " W. Kennedy.
V. W. Bro. W. S. Lee.	W. Bro. R. W. Longmore —
R. " " E. H. Long.	" " James Lockie.
" " " J. S. Loomis.	" " N. J. Lindsay.
V. " " R. Lewis.	" " J. Z. Long.
R. " " S. S. Lazier.	" " J. K. Leslie.
" " H. G. Lindsay.	" " John Lyon.
V. " " G. J. Miller.	" " John Malloy.
R. " " T. C. Macnabb.	" " John Moore.
" " " H. A. Mackay.	" " A. B. Munson.
" " " J. J. Mason.	" " S. A. Martin.
" " " Robert Mackay.	" " A. S. Murray.
" " " Hugh Murray.	" " John Morrison.
" " " Wm. Milner.	" " G. W. Morgan.
" " " Henry Macpherson.	" " F. C. Martin.
" " " D. H. Martyn.	" " D. W. Mayes.
" " " John Macdonald.	" " Jas. Macoun.
M. " " Jas. Moffat.	" " Jas. Munro.
R. " " E. Mitchell.	" " E. T. Malone.
" " " A. F. Milliken.	" " J. M. Moran.
" " " C. W. Marlatt.	" " Jas. MacFadden.
R. " " D. McLellan.	" " D. McMillan.

Bro. D. McPhie.	W. Bro. C. G. McDermott.
" John McLaren.	" " W. McCadden,
" S. S. McCormack.	" " Wm. McKay.
" Allan McLean.	" " R. McKnight.
" W. D. McGloghlon.	" " Robt. McCaw.
" Jas. McLurg.	" " D. McPhail.
" J. B. Nixon.	" " Jas. Noble,
" J. Newell.	" " Wm. Norris.
" Isaac Nicholson.	" " Geo. Norton.
" W. E. Norton.	" " John Overell.
" John O'Donohue.	" " H. C. Owen.
" W. C. Patton.	" " John Patton.
" T. S. Patterson.	" " C. W. Postlethwaite.
" T. R. Powell.	" " Jas. Priddis.
" A. N. Pettit.	" " J. E. Peers.
" G. B. Parrott.	" " Alex. Patterson,
" A. W. Porte.	" " Thos. Peel.
" Edwin Plant.	" " C. Pabst.
" Geo. Russell.	R. " " Donald Ross,
" J. Ross Robertson.	" " " W. G. Reid.
" R. Radcliffe.	" " " Henry Robertson.
" B. Rothwell.	" " " Jas. Reynolds.
" D. S. Rupert.	" " " Robt. Ramsay.
" W. F. Roome.	" " " W. Ryder.
" W. E. Roxburgh.	" " " A. R. Rowat.
" Jas. Seymour.	R. " " Gavin Stewart.
" John Satchell.	" " " Daniel Spry.
" John Scoon.	" " " B. Saunders.
" A. G. Smyth.	" " " T. Sargant.
" N. Shafley.	" " " John B. Smyth.
" John Simpson.	" " " W. H. Street.
" Geo. Swanson.	" " " Wm. Skinner.
" J. J. Smyth.	" " " Jas. Sutherland.
" C. A. Sippi.	" " " Jas. D. Stevenson.
" J. M. Scully.	R. " " Jas. Sutton.
" Wm. Smith.	" " " D. Sinclair.

	W. Bro. C. A. Summers.	W. Bro. H. C. Simpson.
	" " R. A. Stevenson.	R. " " J. B. Traves.
	" " T. L. M. Tipton.	" " " Isaac F. Toms.
	" " J. P. Thomas.	" " W. Treleaven.
	" " John Taylor.	" " F. B. Talbot.
	" " John Tindale.	R. " " John Urquhart.
V.	" " G. R. Vanzant.	R. " " R. T. Walkem.
	" " W. C. Wilkinson.	" " W. A. Woolson.
	" " James Wilson.	" " J. W. Wallace.
R.	" " John Walsh.	" " Wm. Wilson.
	" " G. M. Wilkinson.	" " John Wilson.
	" " Thos. Winnett.	V. " " A. Whittaker.
	" " W. H. Wooldridge.	" " J. T. Wright.
R.	" " G. J. Waugh.	" " S. H. Weldon.
	" " W. Willison.	V. " " H. Waterman.
	" " W. Winslow.	" " S. S. Willison.
	" " Joseph Wilson.	

A constitutional number of Lodges being represented, Grand Lodge was opened in **Ample Form**, at 8.15 p. m., the Grand Chaplain implored a blessing from the G. A. O. U. upon all the proceedings.

The Board of General Purposes, as required by the Constitution, appointed R. W. Bros. R. Hendry, jr., R. B. Hunford, and J. G. Burns, a Committee on the Credentials: Representatives and Proxies from Lodges, who reported following as being present, viz.:

No 2. *Niagara Lodge, Niagara.*

V. W. Bro. G. J. Miller, P. M., Proxy; M. W. Bro. Jas. I. mour, P. M.

No. 3. *The Ancient St. John's Lodge, Kingston.*

W. Bro. G. W. Gaden, W. M.; Bro. H. J. Wilkinson, J. M. W. Bro. J. A. Henderson, P. M.; R. W. Bros. R. Walkem, P. M.; G. M. Wilkinson, P. M.; W. A. Gunn. I

No. 5. *Sussex Lodge, Brockville.*

W. Bros. W. J. Simpson, W. M.; W. H. Jackson, P. M.

6. *Barton Lodge, Hamilton.*

Bro. H. S. Griffin, J. W.; R. W. Bros. T. C. Macnabb, P. M.; H. A. Mackay, P. M.; Gavin Stewart, P. M.; W. Bros. Geo. Russell, P. M.; Wm. Gibson, P. M.

7. *Union Lodge, Grimsby.*

V. W. Bros. Wm. Forbes, P. M., Proxy.

9. *Union Lodge, Napanee.*

W. Bro. C. Z. Perry, W. M.

10. *Norfolk Lodge, Simcoe.*

W. Bros. John Wilson, W. M.; G. F. Counter, P. M.

11. *Moira Lodge, Belleville.*

W. Bros. A. McGinnis, W. M.; R. W. Bros. L. H. Henderson, P. M.; S. S. Lazier, P. M.

15. *St. George's Lodge, St. Catharines.*

W. Bros. C. G. McDermott, W. M.; Wm. Dougan, P. M.

16. *St. Andrew's Lodge, Toronto.*

W. Bro. M. E. Snider, W. M.; V. W. Bros. Geo. Hodgetts, P. M.; W. C. Wilkinson, P. M.

17. *St. John's Lodge, Cobourg.*

R. W. Bro. J. B. Trayes, Proxy.

18. *Prince Edward Lodge, Picton.*

W. Bro. J. Waring, W. M.; R. W. Bro. Donald Ross, P. M.

20. *St. John's Lodge, London.*

Bros. Jos. Hook, S. W.; Jas. Dunn, J. W.; M. W. Bro. Jas. Moffat, P. M.; V. W. Bro. M. D. Dawson, P. M.; W. Bros. W. McCadden, P. M.; Thos. Winnett, P. M.

22. *King Solomon's Lodge, Toronto.*

W. Bro. N. T. Lyon, W. M.; Bro. Wilbur Grant, S. W.; R. W. Bros. Daniel Spry, P. M.; David McLellan, P. M.; V. W. Bros. J. R. Robertson, P. M.; W. S. Lee, P. M.; W. Bro. H. Bickford, P. M.

23. *Richmond Lodge, Richmond Hill.*

W. Bro. Jas. Reynolds, W. M.

24. *St. Francis Lodge, Smith's Falls.*

Bro. J. A. Clarke, J. W.

No. 25.

Ionic Lodge, Toronto.

W. Bro. C. W. Postlethwaite, W. M.; M. W. Bro. J. Kerr, P. M.; W. Bro. Wm. Norris, P. M.

No. 26.

Ontario Lodge, Port Hope.

W. Bro. D. J. Goggin, W. M.; R. W. Bro. J. B. Tr P. M.; V. W. Bro. C. Doebler, P. M.

No. 27.

Strict Observance Lodge, Hamilton.

W. Bro. F. F. Dalley, W. M.; Bro. B. J. Morgan, S. W. W. Bros. J. J. Mason, P. M.; David McLellan, P. M.; I Gunn, P. M.; V. W. Bro. J. M. Gibson, P. M.; W. I Thos. Clark, P. M.; C. H. Foster, P. M.

No. 28.

Mount Zion Lodge, Kemptville.

W. Bro. O. Bascom, P. M., Proxy.

No. 30.

Composite Lodge, Whitby.

W. Bro. Jas. Brown, W. M.; R. W. Bro. G. H. Dartnel M.; V. W. Bro. Chas. King, P. M.

No. 31.

Jerusalem Lodge, Bowmanville.

W. Bro. Wm. McKay, W. M.

No. 32.

Amity Lodge, Dunnville.

W. Bro. Archibald Cowper, W. M.; Bro. J. W. McCal S. W.; R. W. Bro. H. Long, P. M.; W. Bros. T. L. M. ton, P. M., C. E. S. Black, P. M.

No. 33.

Goderich Lodge, Goderich.

V. W. Bro. Jos. Beck, P. M.; W. Bro. G. Swanson, P. M.

No. 34.

Thistle Lodge, Amherstburg.

W. Bro. Geo. Green, W. M.; Bro. S. Pinfold, J. W.

No. 36.

Welland Lodge, Fonthill.

W. Bros. A. B. Kinsman, W. M.; J. Brasford, P. M.

No. 37.

King Hiram Lodge, Ingersoll.

W. Bro. Wm. Thompson, W. M.; Bro. S. A. Martin, J. R. W. Bro. P. J. Brown, P. M.; W. Bro. W. A. Wood P. M.

No. 39.

Mount Zion Lodge, Brooklyn.

W. Bro. W. H. Browne, W. M.

. 40. *St. John's Lodge, Hamilton.*

W. Bro. J. A. Malcolm, W. M.; R. W. Bro. W. G. Reid, P. M.; V. W. Bro. D. McPhie, P. M.; W. Bros. J. B. Bishop, P. M.; John Malloy, P. M.

. 41. *St. George's Lodge, Kingsville.*

R. W. Bro. E. Allworth, W. M.

. 42. *St. George's Lodge, London.*

W. Bro. Geo. Angus, W. M.; Bros. T. H. Brunton, S. W.; T. W. Burgess, J. W.; V. W. Bro. A. Whittaker, P. M.; W. Bros. W. Skinner, P. M.; A. Ellis, jr., P. M.; A. S. Murray, P. M.; Jas. Priddis, P. M.; John Callard, P. M.

43. *King Solomon's Lodge, London.*

W. Bro. A. J. McIntosh, W. M.; R. W. Bros. G. C. Eden, P. M.; Wm. Hayden, P. M.; W. Bro. John Morrison, P. M.

44. *St. Thomas Lodge, St. Thomas.*

W. Bro. J. J. Teetzel, W. M.; Bro. L. Slater, S. W.; R. W. Bro. Robt. Mackay, P. M.; W. Bros. G. W. Morgan, P. M.; A. N. Pettit, P. M.; C. W. Harte, P. M.

45. *Brant Lodge, Brantford.*

W. Bro. E. Kester, W. M.

46. *Wellington Lodge, Chatham.*

W. Bros. J. E. Peers, W. M.; F. Bates, P. M.

47. *Great Western Lodge, Windsor.*

W. Bro. P. A. Craig, W. M.; Bro. J. R. Donnelly, S. W.

48. *Madoc Lodge, Madoc.*

W. Bro. H. S. O'Hara, W. M.; R. W. Bro. J. S. Loomis, P. M.

50. *Consecon Lodge, Consecon.*

R. W. Bro. Donald Ross, Proxy.

52. *Dalhousie Lodge, Ottawa.*

W. Bro. W. Reynolds, W. M.

54. *Vaughan Lodge, Maple.*

W. Bro. G. A. Enony, P. M.

56. *Victoria Lodge, Sarnia.*

W. Bro. Jas. Woods, W. M.; Bro. W. H. Hill, J. W.; W. Bro. Thos. Ellison, P. M.

No. 58.

Doric Lodge, Ottawa.

V. W. Bro. J. J. Smyth, P. M., Proxy.

No. 61.

Acacia Lodge, Hamilton.

R. W. Bros. Hugh Murray, P. M., Proxy; E. Mitc
P. M.

No. 62.

St. Andrew's Lodge, Caledonia.

W. Bro. Geo. Russell, Proxy.

No. 63.

St. John's Lodge, Carleton Place.

W. Bro. W. L. Hamilton, Proxy.

No. 64.

Kilwinning Lodge, London.

W. Bro. John Hargreaves, W. M.; Bros. A. O. Jeffr
W.; A. L. McMullen, J. W.; R. W. Bros. R. B. Hunge
P. M.; Evans Davis, P. M.; V. W. Bros. Thos. Bro
M.; R. Lewis, P. M.; C. A. Sippi, P. M.; W. Bros.
Overell, P. M.; H. A. Baxter, P. M.; John Ferguson,

No. 65.

Rehoboam Lodge, Toronto.

V. W. Bro. F. Gallow, W. M.; Bro. A. Park, S. W.;
Bros. D. Spry, P. M.; J. B. Nixon, P. M.

No. 68.

St. Jchn's Lodge, Ingersoll.

W. Bro. Jas. Badden, W. M.; Bro. J. C. Hegler, S. V

No. 69.

Stirling Lodge, Stirling.

W. Bro. R. Finch, W. M.

No. 72.

Alma Lodge, Galt.

W. Bro. W. Cowan, Proxy.

No. 73.

St. James' Lodge, St. Mary's.

W. Bro. W. H. Wooldridge, W. M.; Bro. David Sw
J. W.; R. W. Bro. J. E. Harding, P. M.; W. Bros.
Rupert, P. M.; A. Carman, P. M.; J. T. Wright, P. M

No. 74.

St. James' Lodge, Maitland.

W. Bros. John Moore, P. M.; R. Ramsay, P. M.

No. 75.

St. John's Lodge, Toronto.

R. W. Bros. B. Saunders, P. M., Proxy; R. J. How
P. M.

No. 76.

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W. Bro. Wm. McKay, W. M.; Bro. W. T. Wilkinson,
W. Bros. Jas. Sutherland, P. M.; F. C. Martin, P. M

- No. 77. *Faithful Brethren Lodge, Lindsay.*
R. W. Bro. J. B. Trayes, Proxy.
- No. 80. *Albion Lodge, Newbury.*
W. Bro. W. Beattie, W. M.; Bro. J. D. Anderson, S. W.;
W. Bro. W. F. Roome, P. M.
- No. 81. *St. John's Lodge, Mt. Brydges.*
V. W. Bro. H. G. Lindsay, P. M.; W. Bros. G. B. Parrot,
P. M.; Jos. Clark, P. M.
- No. 83. *Beaver Lodge, Strathroy.*
W. Bro. W. H. Grant, P. M., Proxy; R. W. Bro. Wm.
Milner, P. M.; W. Bro. A. Jamieson, P. M.
- No. 84. *Clinton Lodge, Clinton.*
W. Bros. John MacWhirter, W. M.; R. A. Barton, P. M.
- No. 86. *Wilson Lodge, Toronto.*
W. Bro. Alex. Patterson, P. M., Proxy; R. W. Bro. T.
Sargant, P. M.
- No. 87. *Markham Union Lodge, Markham.*
V. W. Bro. G. R. Vanzant, W. M.
- No. 88. *St. George's Lodge, Owen Sound.*
W. Bro. R. McKnight, W. M.; R. W. Bro. Henry Macpher-
son, P. M.
- No. 89. *King Hiram Lodge, Lindsay.*
W. Bro. J. W. Wallace, W. M.
- No. 90. *Manito Lodge, Collingwood.*
W. Bro. W. R. Anderson, W. M.; R. W. Bro. H'y Robert-
son, P. M.
- No. 91. *Colborne Lodge, Colborne.*
R. W. Bro. J. B. Trayes, Proxy.
- No. 92. *Cataraqui Lodge, Kingston.*
W. Bro. Wm. Waddington, W. M.; R. W. Bro. R. Hendry,
jr., P. M.
- No. 93. *Northern Light Lodge, Kincardine.*
W. Bro. B. Freer, W. M.; R. W. Bro. D. H. Martyn, P. M.
- No. 96. *Corinthian Lodge, Barrie.*
W. Bro. C. S. Sanders, W. M.; R. W. Bro. D. Spry, P. M.

No. 97.

Sharon Lodge, Sharon.

W. Bro. D. W. Mayes, Proxy.

No. 99.

Tuscan Lodge, Newmarket.

W. Bros. R. Flood, W. M.; D. W. Mayes, P. M.

No. 100.

*Valley Lodge, Dundas.*W. Bros. H. Bickford, P. M., Proxy; Thos. Clark, P. M.
D. McMillan, P. M.

No. 101.

Corinthian Lodge, Peterboro'.

W. Bro. E. H. D. Hall, P. M., Proxy.

No. 113.

*Maple Leaf Lodge, St. Catharines.*Bro. Geo. B. Coy, S. W.; R. W. Bro. John W. Coy, P. M.
V. W. Bro. J. E. Beeton, P. M.

No. 104.

*St. John's Lodge, Norwich.*W. Bro. H. Couzens, W. M.; Bros. A. H. Hill, S. W.; W.
A. Sampson, J. W.

No. 105.

St. Mark's Lodge, Drummondville.

W. Bro. Geo. Goldsborough, W. M.

No. 106.

Burford Lodge, Burford.

Bro. G. H. Fowler, S. W.

No. 107.

*St. Paul's Lodge, Lambeth.*W. Bro. A. Bogue, W. M.; Bros. J. H. McLellan, S. W.; J.
Thornicroft, J. W.; R. W. Bros. J. M. Banghart, P. M.; D.
B. Burch, P. M.; V. W. Bro. F. W. H. C. Jarvis, P. M.

No. 108.

Blenheim Lodge, Drumbo.

W. Bro. L. S. Kennedy, P. M.

No. 110.

Central Lodge, Prescott.

Bro. John Carruthers, J. W.

No. 112.

*Maitland Lodge, Goderich.*V. W. Bro. R. Radcliffe, W. M.; R. W. Bro. Isaac I
Toms, P. M.

No. 113.

Wilson Lodge, Waterford.

R. W. Bro. E. H. Long, W. M.

No. 114.

Hope Lodge, Port Hope.

W. Bro. J. A. Cheer, W. M.

- 115.** *Ivy Lodge, Beamsville.*
W. Bro. R. McCaskill, W. M.; W. Bro. W. Gibson, P. M.
- 116.** *Cassia Lodge, Thedford.*
W. Bro. A. F. Phillips, W. M.; R. W. Bro. G. W. Holwell, P. M.; V. W. Bro. Jas. Wilson, P. M.
- 118.** *Union Lodge, Schomberg.*
W. Bros. Jas. D. Stevenson, Proxy; W. R. Jamieson, P. M.
- 119.** *Maple Leaf Lodge, Bath.*
W. Bro. M. Robinson, W. M.
- 121.** *Doric Lodge, Brantford.*
W. Bro. A. J. Wilkes, W. M.
- 123.** *The Belleville, Lodge, Belleville.*
W. Bros. A. McKeown, W. M.; Jas. Macoun, P. M.; J. P. Thomas, P. M.
- 125.** *Cornwall Lodge, Cornwall.*
W. Bro. E. Mour, W. M.; R. W. Bro. A. F. Milliken, P. M.
- 126.** *Golden Rule Lodge, Campbellford.*
R. W. Bro. H. A. Mackay, Proxy.
- 127.** *Franck Lodge, Frankford.*
W. Bro. Robt. Dick, Proxy.
- 128.** *Pembroke Lodge, Pembroke.*
Bros. W. J. Douglas, S. W.; B. C. Miller, J. W.
- 129.** *The Rising Sun Lodge, Aurora.*
W. Bros. F. D. Daville, W. M.; R. W. Hillary, P. M.
- 133.** *Lebanon Forest Lodge, Exeter.*
W. Bros. W. D. Bright, W. M.; Geo. Eacrett, P. M.; M. Eacrett, P. M.; J. W. Broderick, P. M.
- 135.** *St. Clair Lodge, Milton.*
W. Bro. J. A. Frazer, W. M.; Bro. W. H. Macnab, S. W.; V. W. Bro. J. E. Harrison, P. M.; W. Bro. John Lyon, P. M.
- 136.** *Richardson Lodge, Stouffville.*
W. Bro. John Urquhart, W. M.
- 137.** *Pythagorus Lodge, Masford.*
W. Bro. J. H. Parsons, W. M.

- No. 139. *Lebanon Lodge, Oshawa.*
W. Bro. Robt. McCaw, W. M.
- No. 140. *Malahide Lodge, Aylmer.*
W. Bro. John E. Black, W. M.; Bro. John Richardson,
S. W.
- No. 142. *Excelsior Lodge, Morrisburg.*
R. W. Bro. A. F. Milliken, Proxy.
- No. 144. *Tecumseh Lodge, Stratford.*
R. W. Bro. G. J. Waugh, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 146. *Prince of Wales Lodge, Newburgh.*
W. Bro. R. W. Longmore, W. M.
- No. 147. *Mississippi Lodge, Almonte.*
W. Bro. W. L. Hamilton. Proxy.
- No. 148. *Civil Service Lodge, Ottawa.*
Bro. Edwin Plant, S. W.; R. W. Bro. John Walsh, P. M.
- No. 149. *Erie Lodge, Port Dover.*
W. Bro. W. F. Tibbets, W. M.
- No. 151. *The Grand River Lodge, Berlin.*
W. Bro. W. Ryder, W. M.; Bro. D. B. Dewar, J. W.; W.
Bros. Jas. Lockie, P. M.; J. M. Scully, P. M.
- No. 153. *Burns Lodge, Wyoming.*
Bro. W. McLaren, J. W.; V. W. Bro. J. Newell, P. M.
- No. 154. *Irving Lodge, Lucan.*
W. Bro. W. Quigley, W. M.; R. W. Bro. Jas. Sutton, P. M.;
W. Bros. W. S. Hodgins, P. M.; John O'Donohue, P. M.
- No. 156. • *York Lodge, Eglinton.*
W. Bro. J. K. Leslie, Proxy; V. W. Bro. John Fisher,
P. M.
- No. 158. *Alexandra Lodge, Oil Springs.*
W. Bro. Wm. Smith, W. M.
- No. 159. *Goodwood Lodge, Richmond.*
V. W. Bro. John Satchell, W. M.
- No. 161. *Percy Lodge, Warkworth.*
W. Bro. Frederick Baily, W. M.

2. *Forest Lodge, Worcester.*
W. Bro. Ralph Hodgson, P. M., Proxy.
4. *Star in the East Lodge, Wellington.*
R. W. Bro. Donald Ross, Proxy.
5. *Burlington Lodge, Burlington.*
W. Bro. Wm. Kerus, W. M.; Bro. S. M. Durkee, S. W.
6. *Wentworth Lodge, Stoney Creek.*
R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray, W. M.
8. *Merritt Lodge, Welland.*
W. Bro. S. J. Sidey, W. M.
9. *Macnab Lodge, Port Colborne.*
W. Bro. J. R. Haun, P. M., Proxy.
10. *Britannia Lodge, Seaforth.*
W. Bro. Henry Cameron, W. M.
11. *Prince of Wales Lodge, Iona.*
Bros. M. Dewar, S. W.; Henry Watts, J. W.; R. W. Bro.
J. Cascaden, P. M.; W. Bro. S. H. Weldon, P. M.
12. *Ayr Lodge, Ayr.*
W. Bros. W. C. Patton, W. M.; W. Willison, P. M.
17. *The Builders' Lodge, Ottawa.*
R. W. Bro. John Walsh, Proxy.; W. Bro. J. C. Kearns,
P. M.
78. *Plattsville Lodge, Plattsville.*
W. Bro. Thos. Allshire, W. M.; Bros. George Sauer, S. W.;
L. Secord, J. W.; W. Bro. John Cameron, P. M.
30. **Speed Lodge, Guelph.*
W. Bros. John McKenzie, W. M.; John Scoon, P. M.
34. *Old Light Lodge, Lucknow.*
W. Bros. Thos. Lawrence, W. M.; W. Treleaven, P. M.; W.
Kennedy, P. M.
39. *Filius Viduæ Lodge, Adolphustown.*
R. W. Bro. Donald Ross, Proxy.
90. *Belmont Lodge, Belmont.*
W. Bros. John Boyd, W. M.; J. J. Jelly, P. M.; D. Sinclair,
P. M.

No. 192.

Orillia Lodge, Orillia.

Bro. Wm. Ironside, S. W.

No. 194.

Petrolia Lodge, Petrolia.

W. Bros. Jas. McLurg, W. M.; John Sinclair, P. M.

No. 195.

The Tuscan Lodge, London.

Bro. R. W. Barker, J. W.; R. W. Bros. R. B. Hungerford, P. M.; G. S. Birrell, P. M.; V. W. Bro. H. Waterman, P. M.; W. Bros. T. Beattie, P. M.; A. G. Smyth, P. M.; A. W. Porte, P. M.; John Taylor, P. M.

No. 197.

Saugeen Lodge, Walkerton.

W. Bro. W. A. Green, W. M.; V. W. Bro. J. F. H. Gunn, P. M.

No. 200.

St. Alban's Lodge, Mt. Forest.

R. W. Bro. John McLaren, P. M., Proxy.

No. 203.

Irvine Lodge, Elora.

R. W. Bro. John MacDonald, P. M., Proxy.

No. 205.

New Dominion Lodge, New Hamburg.

W. Bro. Jas. Lockie, Proxy.

No. 207.

Lancaster Lodge, Lancaster.

R. W. Bro. John Urquhart, P. M. Proxy.

No. 209a.

St. John's Lodge, London.

W. Bro. J. S. Dewar, W. M.; Bro. W. J. Johnston, S. W.; W. Bros. W. Hawthorn, P. M.; Thomas Peel, P. M.; D. McPhail, P. M.; B. W. Greer, P. M.; H. C. Owen, P. M.

No. 209.

Evergreen Lodge, Lanark

W. Bro. John Moore, Proxy.

No. 210.

Hawkesbury Lodge, Hawkesbury.

W. Bro. John Moore, Proxy.

No. 213.

Dominion Lodge, Ridgeway.

W. Bro. John Agnew, W. M.

No. 214.

Craig Lodge, Ailsa Craig

Bro. J. T. Stevenson, J. W.; W. Bro. W. K. Atkinson, P. M.

No. 215.

Lake Lodge, Ameliasburg.

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W. Bro. H. E. Reid, W. M.; R. W. Bros. S. S. McCormack, P. M.; John McLaren, P. M.
- No. 218.** *Stevenson Lodge, Toronto.*
W. Bros. G. H. Lauder, W. M.; John Patton, P. M.
- No. 219.** *Credit Lodge, Georgetown.*
W. Bro. Geo. Russell, Proxy.
- No. 220.** *Zeredatha Lodge, Uxbridge.*
W. Bro. J. Haggas, W. M.; R. W. Bro. G. H. F. Dartnell, P. M.
- No. 221.** *Mountain Lodge, Thorold.*
W. Bro. W. Winslow, W. M.
- No. 222.** *Marmora Lodge, Marmora.*
W. Bro. R. Finch, Proxy.
- No. 223.** *Norwood Lodge, Norwood.*
V. W. Bro. W. E. Roxburgh, W. M.
- No. 224.** *Zurich Lodge, Zurich.*
W. Bro. C. Benedict, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 225.** *Bernard Lodge, Listowel.*
W. Bro. Wm Forbes, W. M.
- No. 229.** *Ionic Lodge, Napier.*
W. Bro. A. Morton, W. M.; Bro. Thos. Clark, S. W.
- No. 230.** *Kerr Lodge, Barrie.*
W. Bro. C. W. Brown, W. M.; R. W. Bro. D. Spry, P. M.
- No. 231.** *Lodge of Fidelity, Ottawa.*
R. W. Bro. John Walsh, Proxy; W. Bro. Edwin Plant, P. M.
- No. 232.** *Cameron Lodge, Wallacetown.*
W. Bro. Robt. Jordan, W. M.
- No. 234.** *Beaver Lodge, Clarksburg.*
W. Bro. Walter Hunter, W. M.
- No. 236.** *Manitoba Lodge, Bondhead.*
W. Bro. T. S. Patterson, W. M.
- No. 238.** *Havelock Lodge, Watford.*
W. Bro. S. Howden, W. M.; W. Bros. A. Jamieson, P. M.; N. J. Lindsay, P. M.; D. Campbell, P. M.

- No. 243. *St. George Lodge, St. George.*
V. W. Bro. E. E. Kitchen, W. M.; W. Bro. Benjamin Bell, P. M.
- No. 245. *Tecumseh Lodge, Thamesville.*
W. Bro. John Davidson, W. M.; Bro. Henry Buller, S. W.
- No. 247. *Ashlar Lodge, Yorkville.*
W. Bro. Eanderson Percy, W. M.
- No. 250. *Thistle Lodge, Embro.*
W. Bros. S. S. Willison, W. M.; James Munro, P. M.
- No. 253. *Minden Lodge, Kingston*
W. Bro. John F. McEwen, W. M.; R. W. Bros. All McLean, P. M ; J. Greenfield, P. M.
- No. 255. *Sydenham Lodge, Dresden.*
W. Bro. Robt. C. Stuart, W. M.
- No. 256. *Farran's Point Lodge, Farran's Point.*
W. Bro. C. A. Summers, W. M.
- No. 257. *Galt Lodge, Galt.*
W. Bro. W. Cowan, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 258. *Guelph Lodge, Guelph.*
W. Bro. John Scoon, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 259. *Springfield Lodge, Springfield.*
V. W. Bro. James Newell, P. M.
- No. 260. *Washington Lodge, Petrolia.*
W. Bro. W. H. Taylor, W. M.
- No. 262. *Harriston Lodge, Harriston.*
W. Bro. James Smith, W. M ; R. W. Bro. Alex. Irvin, P. M.
- No. 264. *Chaudiere Lodge, Ottawa.*
W. Bro. J. C. Kearns, Proxy.
- No. 265. *Patterson Lodge, Thornhill.*
W. Bro. John Jones, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 266. *Northern Light Lodge, Stayner.*
W. Bro. W. R. Anderson, Proxy.
- No. 267. *Parthenon Lodge, Chatham.*
W. Bro. J. E. Peers, Proxy ; W. Bro. W. Kennedy, P. M.

- 268.** *Vernalis Lodge, Bobcaygeon.*
R. W. Bro. G. H. Dartnell, Proxy.
- 269.** *Brougham Union Lodge, Brougham.*
W. Bro. John Palmer, W. M.
- 270.** *Cedar Lodge, Oshawa.*
W. Bro. A. Mackie, W. M.
- 271.** *Wellington Lodge, Erin.*
Bro. S. Dille, S. W.; W. Bro. Jas. Broddy, P. M.
- 276.** *Teeswater Lodge, Teeswater.*
W. Bro. Ralph Hodgson, Proxy.
- 277.** *Seymour Lodge, Port Dalhousie.*
W. Bros. M. Henry, W. M.; John Green, P. M.
- 278.** *Mystic Lodge, Roslin.*
W. Bro. Jas. Macoun, Proxy.
- 279.** *New Hope Lodge, Hespeler.*
W. Bro. Christian Pabst, W. M.
- 283.** *Eureka Lodge, Belleville.*
W. Bros. W. L. Hamilton, P. M., Proxy; W. C. Clarke
P. M.
- 284.** *St. John's Lodge, Brussels.*
Bro. E. E. Wade, S. W.; W. Bro. W. H. Holmes, P. M.
- 285.** *Seven Star Lodge, Aliston.*
W. Bro. T. S. Patterson, P. M., Proxy.
- 286.** *Wingham Lodge, Wingham.*
W. Bros. J. A. Morton, W. M.; W. T. Bray, P. M.
- 287.** *Shuniah Lodge, Prince Arthur's Landing.*
R. W. Bro. D. Spry, Proxy; R. W. Bro. P. J. Brown, P. M.
- 289.** *Doric Lodge, Lobo.*
W. Bro. A. McGugan, W. M.; V. W. Bro. T. R. Powell, P.
M.; W. Bro. Joshua Irvine, P. M.
- 290.** *Leamington Lodge, Leamington.*
W. Bro. W. C. Coulson, W. M.
- 291.** *Dufferin Lodge, West Flamboro.*
W. Bro. J. B. Plaston, W. M.

No. 292.

Robertson Lodge, Nobleton.

W. Bro. Jas. D. Stevenson, P. M.; Proxy.

No. 294.

Moore Lodge, Mooretown.

W. Bro. Geo. Leslie, W. M.; Bros. David Armstrong, W.; J. W. Bowman, J. W.; W. Bro. John Hower, P. M.

No. 295.

Conestogo Lodge, Drayton.

W. Bros. Wm. Jamieson, W. M.; C. Hendry, jr., P. M.; R. Dales, P. M.

No. 296.

Temple Lodge, St. Catharines.

Bro. L. R. Smith, S. W.

No. 297.

Preston Lodge, Preston.

R. W. Bro. Otto Klotz, P. M., Proxy; V. W. Bro. C. Klotz, P. M.

No. 299.

Victoria Lodge, Centreville.

W. Bro. H. A. Baker, W. M.

No. 300.

Mount Olivet Lodge, Thorndale.

Bro. C. G. Fitzgerald, S. W.; W. Bros. W. H. Dunlop, M.; W. Harrison, P. M.

No. 301.

Hanover Lodge, Hanover.

W. Bro. W. A. Green, Proxy; W. Bro. W. H. G. Coll, P. M.

No. 302.

St. David's Lodge, St. Thomas.

W. Bro. Alex. Hess, W. M.; Bros. J. E. Osborne, S. W.; Campbell, J. W.; W. Bro. J. Z. Long P. M.

No. 303.

Blyth Lodge, Blyth.

W. Bro. Lewis Thorne, W. M.; Bro. John Gosman, S. W. W. Bro. W. Wilson, P. M.

No. 304.

Minerva Lodge, Craigville.

W. Bro. C. L. Sanders, Proxy.

No. 305.

Humber Lodge, Weston.

W. Bro. John Paxton, W. M.

No. 306.

Durham Lodge, Durham.

R. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, Proxy.

No. 307.

Arkona Lodge, Arkona.

W. Bro. Geo. A. Dunn, W. M.

- 509.** *Morning Star Lodge, Smith's Hill.*
Ero. John Morgan, S. W.
- 311.** *Blackwood Lodge, Woodbridge.*
W. Bro. E. T. Malone, Proxy.
- 312.** *Pnyx Lodge, Wallaceburg.*
W. Bro. Peter Crawford, W. M.
- 313.** *Clementi Lodge, Lakefield.*
W. Bro. John Hull, P. M., Proxy.
- 314.** *Blair Lodge, Palmerston.*
V. W. Bro. H. Hyndman, W. M.; W. Bro. A. B. Munson;
P. M.
- 315.** *Clifford Lodge, Clifford.*
W. Bros. J. S. Dewar, W. M.; A. S. Allan, P. M.
- 316.** *Doric Lodge, Toronto.*
W. Bro. J. H. Knifton, W. M.; R. W. Bro. J. B. Nixon,
P. M.
- 318.** *Wilmot Lodge, Baden.*
W. Bro. J. M. Moran, P. M., Proxy.
- 320.** *Chesterville Lodge, Chesterville.*
W. Bro. James Holmes, W. M.
- 321** *Walker Lodge, Acton West.*
W. Bro. Geo. Russell, Proxy.
- 322.** *North Star Lodge, Owen Sound.*
W. Bro. R. Edgar, W. M.; R. W. Bro. John Creasor, P. M.
- 323.** *Alvinston Lodge, Alvinston.*
W. Bro. C. W. Marlatt, W. M.
- 324.** *Temple Lodge, Hamilton.*
V. W. Bro. J. M. Gibson, P. M., Proxy; R. W. Bros. David
McLellan, P. M.; E. Mitchell, P. M.; R. L. Gunn, P. M.;
V. W. Bro. D. McPhie, P. M.; W. Bro. Wm. Gibson, P. M.
- 326.** *Zetland Lodge, Toronto.*
W. Bro P. B. Ball, W. M.; R. W. Bros. J. B. Nixon, P. M.;
T. Sargant, P. M.; J. G. Burns, P. M.; Daniel Spry, P. M.;
R. J. Hovenden, P. M.; V. W. Bro. J. R. Robertson, P. M.;
W. Bro. E. T. Malone, P. M.

- No. 327. *The Hammond Lodge, Wardsville.*
W. Bro. E. Aitchison, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 328. *Ionic Lodge, Napier.*
W. Bro. J. W. Cameron, W. M.
- No. 329. *King Solomon's Lodge, Jarvis.*
Bro. Gabriel Johnstone, S. W.
- No. 330. *Corinthian Lodge, London East.*
W. Bro. G. Childs, W. M.; Bros. R. Bonney, S. W.
Spencer, J. W.; W. Bros. J. B. Cook, P. M.; Jas. Ar
M.; H. C. Simpson, P. M.
- No. 331. *Fordwich Lodge, Fordwich.*
W. Bros. S. Brown, W. M.; R. R. Hopkins, P. M.
- No. 332. *Stratford Lodge, Stratford.*
W. Bro. F. W. Brent, W. M.; Bro. A. Hamilton, S. W.
Bro. Jas. MacFadden, P. M.
- No. 334. *Prince Arthur Lodge, Arthur.*
R. W. Bro. S. S. McCormack, Proxy.
- No. 338. *Dufferin Lodge, Welland Port.*
W. Bros. J. E. Cohoe, W. M.; N. Shafley, P. M.
- No. 339. *Orient Lodge, Don Mount.*
W. Bro. Alex. Gibb, W. M.; R. W. Bro. J. G. Burns
W. Bro. J. K. Leslie, P. M.
- No. 341. *Bruce Lodge, Tiverton.*
R. W. Bro. D. H. Martyn, Proxy.
- No. 344. *Merrill Lodge, Dorchester.*
W. Bros. F. B. Talbot, P. M., Proxy; W. H. Cl
P. M.
- No. 345. *Nilestown Lodge, Nilestown.*
W. Bros. Jos. Wilson, P. M., Proxy.; A. R. Rowat,
- No. 346. *Occident Lodge, Toronto.*
V. W. Bro. Jas. Wilson, P. M.
- No. 347. *Mercer Lodge, Fergus.*
W. Bro. John Tindale, W. M.; Bro. Hugh Hanlon, S
- No. 348. *Georgian Lodge, Penelanguishene.*
W. Bro. H. F. Switzer, W. M.

- No. 349. *Elgin Lodge, St. Thomas.*
Bro. S. Dubber, S. W.
- No. 351. *St. Mary's Lodge, St. Mary's.*
R. W. Bro. J. E. Harding, W. M.; Bro. James Chalmers, jr., S. W.
- No. 352. *Granite Lodge, Parry Sound.*
Bro. D. Macfarlane, S. W.
- No. 355. *Clandeboyne Lodge, Perth.*
W. Bro. John Moore, Proxy.
- No. 356. *River Park Lodge, Streetsville.*
W. Bro. Robt. Cornish, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 358. *Delaware Valley Lodge, Delaware.*
W. Bro. Alex. McQueen, W. M.; Bro. H. C. Garnatt, S. W.
- No. 359. *Vittoria Lodge, Vittoria.*
W. Bro. Wm. Kennedy, W. M.
- No. 360. *Muskoka Lodge, Bracebridge.*
V. W. Bro. Isaac Huber, W. M.
- No. 361. *Waverley Lodge, Guelph.*
Bro. F. B. Skinner, S. W.
- No. 362. *Maple Leaf Lodge, Tara.*
W. Bros. H. W. Hicks, W. M.; R. C. Bruce, P. M.
- No. 363. *Frontenac Lodge, Cataraqui.*
W. Bro. Wm. Waddington, Proxy.
- No. 366. *Euclid Lodge, Strathroy.*
W. Bro. Jas. Fullerton, W. M.; Bros. C. Bixel, S. W.; H. Urquhart, J. W.; W. Bros. Jas. Noble, P. M.; R. A. Stevenson, P. M.
- No. 367. *St. George Lodge, Toronto.*
W. Bro. H. J. M. Wilson, W. M.; V. W. Bro. Jas. Wilson, P. M.
- No. 369. *Mimico Lodge, Islington.*
V. W. Bro. J. R. Robertson, P. M., Proxy; R. W. Bros. J. G. Burns, P. M.; D. Spry, P. M.
- No. 370. *Harmony Lodge, Delta.*
R. W. Bro. R. Hendry, jr., Proxy.

No. 371. *Prince of Wales Lodge, Ottawa.*

R. W. Bro. John Walsh, Proxy.

No. 372. *Palmer Lodge, Victoria.*

W. Bro. Robt. Moore, W. M.

No. 373. *Copetstone Lodge, Welland.*W. Bro. M. W. Bridgman, W. M.; R. W. Bro. J. M. Dwyer,
P. M.**No. 374. *Keene Lodge, Keene.***

W. Bro. E. H. D. Hall, P. M., Proxy.

No. 375. *Lorne Lodge, Omemee.*

W. Bro. W. Miller, W. M.

No. 376. *Unity Lodge, Huntsville.*

V. W. Bro. Isaac Huber, Proxy.

No. 377. *Lorne Lodge, Shelburne.*

R. W. Bro. John Creasor, Proxy.

No. 378. *King Solomon's Lodge, Petersville.*W. Bro. M. J. Glass, W. M.; Bro. W. H. Heard, S. W.;
Bros. John Simpson, P. M.; J. B. Smyth, P. M.; Pe
Grant, P. M.**No. 379. *Middlesex Lodge, Bryanston.***

W. Bros. E. Roberts, W. M.; Isaac Nicholson, P. M.

No 380. *Union Lodge, London.*W. Bro. E. R. Robinson, W. M.; Bros. O. J. Bridle, S. W.
D. Schuaitzer, J. W.; R. W. Bros. R. B. Hungerford, P. M.
W. D. McGloghlin, P. M.; W. Bros. L. G. Jarvis, P. M.
W. H. Street, P. M.; C. A. Conover, P. M.; Geo. Norton
P. M.**No. 382. *Doric Lodge, Hamilton.***W. Bro. James Stiff, W. M.; R. W. Bros. J. J. Mason,
M.; R. L. Gunn, P. M.**No. 383. *Henderson Lodge, West Winchester.***

W. Bro. Robert Reddick, W. M.

No. 384. *Alpha Lodge, Parkdale.*

W. Bro. C. P. Sparling, W. M.

No. 385. *Spry Lodge, Beeton.*

W. Bros. G. N. Clarke, W. M.; W. H. Dickson, P. M.

6. *McColl Lodge, West Lorne.*
Bro. R. McFate, S. W.
8. *Henderson Lodge, Ilderton.*
Bro. J. D. Dinsmore, S. W.
9. *Crystal Fountain Lodge, North Augusta.*
R. W. Bro. Robert Hendry, Proxy.
0. *Florence Lodge, Florence.*
W. Bro. W. E. Norton, P. M.
1. *Howard Lodge, Ridgetown.*
Bro. J. A. C. Anderson, J. W.
4. *King Solomon Lodge, Thamesford.*
W. Bros. F. Watterson, W. M.; M. Day, P. M.
5. *Parvaim Lodge, Comber.*
W. Bro. R. H. Abbott, W. M.
- Leopold Lodge, Brigden.*
Bro. F. R. Seager, S. W.
- Victoria Lodge, Victoria Road.*
W. Bro. W. R. Cavana, W. M.
- Moffat Lodge, Harrietsville.*
W. Bro. J. J. Jelly, S. W.

M. W. the Grand Master granted permission for the
sion of all Master Masons in good standing, as visitors.

Grand Secretary read the rules and regulations for the
ment of Grand Lodge during time of business.

Grand Secretary commenced reading the minutes of
dings at the last Annual Communication, when

was moved by R. W. Bro. D. Spry, seconded by S. W.
Otto Klotz, and

MOVED, That the minutes of the proceedings of Grand Lodge at
anty-sixth Annual Communication, held at the City of Hamil-
the 13th and 14th days of July, A. D. 1881, having been print-
l copies thereof forwarded to the Subordinate Lodges, the same
sidered as read and now confirmed, and that the minutes of

the several Special Communications of Grand Lodge, entered by the Grand Secretary in the Minute Book, be taken as read, and are hereby confirmed.

ADDRESS OF WELCOME.

The Worshipful Masters of the Lodges of the City of London, were then announced, received, and W. Bro. John S. Dewar, W.M. of St. John's Lodge, 209a, read the following

ADDRESS.

To James Moffat, Esq., the Most Worshipful the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of Canada.

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR:

The Brethren of the different Lodges of the City of London and suburbs embrace this opportunity of tendering you, and through you to the Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge, a hearty and fraternal welcome to the Forest City of Canada; and trust that the temporary sojourn of the Brethren here may be as pleasant as the members of the Craft in London desire it should be.

They deem the holding of the Twenty-Seventh Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge in London an honor and cordially and fraternally appreciate the high compliments paid the Craft of the Western District in selecting you, Most Worshipful Sir, to preside over the deliberations of a body second only in importance, in many respects, to the Parliament of the Dominion. They have every confidence in your ability to guide this assemblage with dignity, prudence and uprightness; and trust that you may long be spared to direct the Craft in everything calculated to advance the interests of the Order throughout the jurisdiction.

The Brethren of this city may be pardoned at this time for referring with feelings of just pride to the building in which the Grand Lodge of Canada is at the present time convened. To the Members of the Craft in London are due

the credit of erecting a structure second to none in the province, and, with feelings of gratification, they cordially invite the Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge to inspect it feeling confident that it will compare favorably with similar buildings in larger and more populous centres.

BRETHREN OF GRAND LODGE.—Accept on behalf of the London Brethren our assurance of their heart-felt desire to make your stay in our midst as pleasant as possible. We confidently trust that your deliberations may result in extending still further the influence of the Noble Order of which we are so proud to form a part; and earnestly pray that the Great Architect of the Universe may pour down upon this assembly His choicest blessings, and safely guide and protect every Brother to his home.

Signed on behalf of the Craft in London, Fraternally,

ROBT. GEARY,
St. John's Lodge, No. 20.

JOHN MACBETH,
Tuscan Lodge, No. 195.

WEO. ANGUS,
St. George's Lodge, No. 42.

JOHN S. DEWAR,
St. John's Lodge, 209a.

WNO. HARGREAVES,
Kilwinning Lodge, No. 64.

E. R. ROBINSON,
Union Lodge, No. 380.

The Most Worshipful the Grand Master delivered an impromptu reply, in the course of which he regretted that he had not had an opportunity of perusing the address of welcome, so as to be better enabled to reply to its sentiments. He accepted the address as an expression of the loyalty of London Masons to the Grand Lodge, and felt sure that the officers and members of this body would receive a hearty welcome from the eight hundred brethren of the Mystic Tie in this, the Forest City. Speaking of the Temple, the G. M. referred with feelings of joyfulness to the public spiritedness and enterprise manifested by the London Brethren in erecting

such a handsome and substantial structure, and contrasted the improvements made by the Craft in the short space of two years in carrying out to a successful termination the erection and fitting up of such a building as that in which the Grand Lodge was convened. Reference was then made to the benefits of the system of holding the meetings of the Grand Lodge in different cities of the jurisdiction, and to the hearty support his predecessors and himself had given to the continuance of the same. He cordially thanked the Masters of the city Lodges for the personal allusions contained in their address. It showed that, notwithstanding his residence of thirty-seven years and upwards in London, and the filling of important municipal and other public positions, he still retained their respect as a Mason, and he trusted that he might ever conduct himself so as to merit their friendship and good will. He spoke of the progress of the city since the last meeting of the Grand Lodge held in 1875, and concluded a neat speech, extending his most cordial thanks to the London Craft on behalf of the Grand Lodge for the honor they had done them in welcoming them by such a timely address.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. D. Spry, seconded by R. W. Otto Klotz, and

RESOLVED,—That the address just read be entered on the minutes of the proceedings.

GRAND MASTER'S ADDRESS.

The Most Worshipful the Grand Master delivered the following address to the Brethren assembled in Grand Communication :—

BRETHREN OF GRAND LODGE :

Another year has passed away, and many of our brethren not only in our own jurisdiction, but in others, have passed away with it, reminding us who are left that we too must soon give place to others. We are, however, permitted to assemble

s a Grand Lodge, as has been the custom annually, to deliberate together for the good of our beloved institution. May the Great Architect of the Universe direct and guide our deliberations, so that they may tend to His glory and the advancement of the Order we should all have so much at heart.

DEATHS.

The past year has witnessed the loss of many brethren in our own as well as in other jurisdictions. As will be seen by reference to our last year's proceedings, my predecessor in his address alluded to the attempt that had been made to assassinate the President of the United States, expressing a hope that his life might still be spared. That hope was echoed by millions, not only on this continent, but throughout the civilized world, Alas! that hope, for reasons only known to an all-wise Providence, was not realized. On the 9th of last September he died, but his memory will live to the latest posterity. His death is a sad commentary upon the boasted civilization of the nineteenth century: to think that the Chief Magistrate of a country where millions of the human race have found homes (with all that the word implies), and shelter from the oppressors of other lands, could be ruthlessly shot down by a fiend in human shape is past all understanding; but so it is, our brother has gone where the wicked cease from troubling, and the weary are at rest.

In our own jurisdiction during the year we have lost by death a number of valuable brethren, members who will be greatly missed from our annual communications, and with whom we have been in the habit of associating for many years.

On Friday, Jan. 13, 1882, M. W. Bro. Thomas Douglas Harrington, P. G. M., died at his residence, in Prescott. Our brother was taken away very suddenly—one momentary pang, and all was over. His age was seventy-four and Masonic age thirty-nine. On Tuesday, the 17th January, as Grand

Master, I was present at the funeral, and took charge of the ceremonies, assisted by three Past Grand Masters of the Grand Lodge of Canada, M. W. Bros. Simpson, Seymour and Stevenson, and the Grand Secretary, R. W. Bro Mason. Other distinguished Masons from a distance were present, including the Hon. Judge Badgely, of Montreal, Provincial Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of England. The A. & A. Scottish Rite was represented by R. W. Bro. Murton and a deputation from Hamilton; and the Knights Templar by the Great Prior, Col. J. B. McLeod Moore, an old esteemed friend of the deceased. There were other Masons from Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal; and two Lodges, one Chapter and one Commandery of Knights Templar belonging to Ogdensburg, showing the love and fraternal esteem in which the memory of our departed Past Grand Master was held. To all those Masons in our own and the sister jurisdictions, and to the W. M., Wardens, and brethren of the Prescott Lodge, I tender in the name of the Grand Lodge of Canada my warmest thanks.

On the 26th of December, 1881, I received a telegram from Hamilton, informing me that the funeral of R. W. Bro. Chauncey Bennett, P. D. D. G. M., would take place from the Masonic Hall, Hamilton, on the following Tuesday afternoon. And, again, on the 5th May, another notice of the death at his residence, in Hamilton, of R. W. Bro. Meakins, P. D. D. G. M. Previous engagements prevented me attending either of these funerals. I have, however, been informed that both funerals were largely attended by the fraternity; indeed, I should have thought it strange had it been otherwise, for no two brothers in our jurisdiction were better known for their geniality and brotherly feeling.

Bro. Bennett we have not met at our annual communications for some years, in consequence of a distressing complaint, which was known to be past human aid. Not so with

Bro. Meakins. His sickness was sharp and short, and his genial face we shall all miss at our meetings.

On the 5th May, 1882, Bro. Donald Currie, a member of Duncan Lodge, No. 195, London, was buried by that Lodge. He was called away very suddenly, and quite unexpectedly. He, too, has left behind him many mourning friends who can scarcely realize the fact that he is gone. Bro. Currie was a Mason of the right stamp, quiet and unassuming; content in labor in any position he could do the most good. He could always be relied upon if charity, the good Mason's pride, was required.

Thus it is, brethren, "in the midst of life we are in death." Let these lessons admonish us who are left, to be prepared to follow our departed brethren.

I am also notified of the death of R. W. Bro. Geo. S. Blackie, our Representative near the Grand Lodge of Tennessee, U. S.—June 19th, 1881.

And of R. W. Bro. J. M. Austin, Grand Secretary of Grand Lodge of New York.—December 8th, 1881.

And of R. W. Bro. C. W. Paterson, Past Grand Chaplain of the Grand Lodge of Canada.—October 7th, 1881.

The deaths I have mentioned above are all that have come under my notice, or that have been reported. Doubtless, others will be reported upon by the District Deputy Grand Masters.

From the assassination of President Garfield only a few months were allowed to pass, when the world was again startled with the intelligence that an attempt had been made to assassinate our beloved Queen.

If these assassinations and attempted assassinations are the work of disloyal Socialists and Communists, organized for the purpose of destroying the constitutional liberties of

the people, high and low, rich and poor, then surely the time has arrived for all right thinking people to bestir themselves, and forever rid the world of such unholy organizations.

To us Free and Accepted Masons, who are taught loyalty and attachment to the country that gives us protection, let that country be where it may, our duty is plain, to endeavor, by all lawful means, to stamp this evil out of existence. I would suggest the propriety of the Grand Lodge, at this our first meeting since the dastardly attempt was made, drafting an address suitable for the occasion, and that it be forwarded to H. R. H. the M. W. Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of England, for presentation to Her Most Gracious Majesty the Queen, the Patroness of our Order.

NEW LODGES.

I have for years been of the opinion that our Lodges required consolidation rather than additions to their number. Consequently, I am rather pleased than otherwise at the few applications that have been made for Dispensations during the year. I have to report the following Dispensations granted, they having been recommended in the usual way by the D. D. G. M., and having satisfied myself that they were to be located in sections of the country not likely to interfere with Lodges now in existence :—

Leopold Lodge, Brigden, County of Lambton—October 26th, 1881.

Victoria Lodge, Victoria Road, County of Victoria—January 16th, 1882.

Moffat Lodge, Harrietsville, County of Middlesex—April 21st, 1882.

In accordance with the recommendations of Grand Lodge I continued the Dispensation issued to Cedar Lodge, Winton, for another year.

OFFICIAL VISITATIONS.

Previous to our last annual communication in Hamilton, I had made arrangements for a three months' visit to the motherland. My trip was intended to be one of pleasure and information; with that in view, I was constantly on the move, visiting places of interest in France, England and Scotland. Time was too limited to do more than visit a very few Masonic Lodges in Scotland just before leaving, on the 6th October—Lodge St. Clair, No. 349, Edinburgh; Lodge St. George, No. 333, Glasgow; Lodge Princess, No. 607, Glasgow; and my mother Lodge, No. 21, old St. John's, Lanark. The first-named Lodge did me the honor of presenting me with a jewel and a certificate of honorary membership.

The second, St. George's, made me an honorary member also; and all had banquets on the occasion of my visits. To the R. W. Masters, Past Masters, Wardens and Brethren of these Lodges, I tender my sincere thanks for the great kindness and hospitality experienced.

In our own jurisdiction, the following Lodges have been officially visited by me at their regular meetings or at the banqueting hall, and some at both. The city Lodges of Hamilton, Jan. 13th, when I had the pleasure of listening to a very instructive lecture upon Masonry, by R. W. Bro. Otto Clotz, after which the annual banquet at the Royal Hotel.

It was while about to sit down to the evening's enjoyment, that the Grand Secretary received the message of the unexpected death of M. W. Bro. Harington, at Prescott. The sad news at once changed the character of the evening's entertainment into a Lodge of Sorrow.

By invitation, I attended the twenty-fifth anniversary of Lodge St. John, No. 75, Toronto, at a banquet at the Walker House, Nov. 25th, 1881; a most enjoyable evening was spent.

Dec. 21st, regular meeting of King Solomon's Lodge, No. 378, London West, at which a Past Master's Jewel was presented to the retiring Master, Brother Peter Grant, the evening's work closing with a banquet. The whole affair was a success.

Dec. 29th, ball and banquet by Tuscan Lodge, No. 195, London, and members of other city Lodges, at which I presided. This was the event of the season for London in the way of balls; the ladies were greatly pleased, and think the Tuscan brethren the best Masons in the world.

Feb. 10th, King Solomon Lodge, No. 394, Thamesford, Masonic concert and supper, open to the public. The concert was good, and reflected great credit upon Worshipful Bro. Day and committee.

March 9th, Lodge No. 209a, St. John's, London, regular meeting, after which a supper. I felt a great pleasure in visiting this Lodge officially, as Grand Master, and it is the first time a Grand Master ever did visit St. John's 209a. When it is known that exactly thirty-seven years ago I affiliated with that Lodge, then working under the Grand Lodge of Ireland, and the only Lodge in the village, you can easily understand the pleasure I experienced. I believe the feeling to be reciprocal.

Accompanied by the Grand Chaplain, I visited and presided at a concert given by Nilestown Lodge, No. 875, at Nilestown. The attendance was good. Altogether, the evening was pleasantly spent.

I requested the Grand Secretary to arrange for a meeting of Rehoboam Lodge, No. 65, at the Masonic Hall, City of Toronto, March 22nd, 1882, and to invite the Masters and Wardens of all the City Lodges to be present. The meeting was successful in every respect, and the banquet that followed was a crowning effort of good fellowship. On the occasion I

had the pleasure of meeting M. W. Bro, J. K. Kerr, R. W. Bro. Spry, D. G. M., R. W. Bro. Nixon, D. D. G. M., R. W. Bro. Saunders, and other Grand Lodge Officers, past and present. I have to thank all these Brethren for their kind hospitality and assistance in discussing matters of interest to the craft generally.

March 31st, the city Lodges of Kingston, on the occasion of the presentation of a well-deserved testimonial, presented by a committee of Grand Lodge appointed for the purpose, to M. W. Bro. Jas. A. Henderson, P. G. M.

Kilwinning Lodge, No. 64, London, regular meeting, April 20th, at which I hope I satisfactorily closed the long standing trouble between the Lodge and Bro. Harens.

Union Lodge, No. 880, London, I have visited very frequently, it being the youngest Lodge in the city, and very zealous, deserves encouragement and guidance.

Lodge of Fidelity, No. 231, Ottawa, meeting and banquet, May 10th.

Lodge Prince of Wales, No. 371, Ottawa, meeting and banquet, May 11th.

Wilson Lodge, No. 86, Toronto, banquet, May 12th. I had great pleasure in meeting the brethren of Wilson Lodge at the Rossin House. Determined not to be outdone, the spread was one of the grandest I ever witnessed, and the speeches of old Masonic veterans, like R. W. Bro. Kivas Tully, were worth travelling many miles to listen to. If you want the genuine article, go to the old-time Mason for it, the young ones will have it by-and-by. Time and patience are needed.

June 1st, visited St. John's, No. 68, Ingersoll, regular meeting. The First Degree was conferred in an admirable manner by the W. M. The officers of this Lodge are well up in their work. The benefit of zealous, good Past Masters is very evi-

dent, judging from the way the business of the Lodge was conducted. I had the pleasure of assisting at the presentation of an address and apron by the Lodge to the I. P. M., V. W. Bro. John Warnock.

June 18th, visited my own Lodge, No. 20, London, for the first time officially, as Grand Master. As I expected, I received a hearty welcome from the officers and brethren. A pleasing incident connected with my visit was the opportunity afforded me of moving a vote of thanks to the retiring Treasurer of the Lodge, Bro. John Smart, who is a very old member, and has been Treasurer of the Lodge for twenty-six years. Bro. Smart leaves Canada to reside in Oregon, U.S., where he has two sons. Bro. Smart's Masonry is of the old type, true and trusty, and can be depended upon.

June 30th, by invitation I paid an official visit to Wilson Lodge, No. 113, Waterford. This Lodge is in a most healthy condition; their new hall is a model of comfort and convenience; furnishings of the latest and best designs, everything in order, and ruled over by R. W. Bro. Long, Grand Registrar, a most zealous Mason, and ably supported by a good staff of Past Masters and brethren, all interested in the welfare of the Lodge—the true secret of success in this or any other Lodge. I have to thank the brethren for the kind reception and entertainment given me.

July 5th, visited St. George's, No. 42, London. The Lodge is in a prosperous condition, well officered, and the members attentive, and, so far as I could see, contented.

I received an invitation from the Most Worshipful Grand Master of the G. L. of the State of Pennsylvania, to attend the celebration of the Sesqui-Centennial Anniversary of its organization, on St. John the Baptist's Day, June 24th A. L. 5882, at Philadelphia, U. S. I was compelled, with great reluctance, to decline this invitation.

Although most anxious, I was quite unable to accept all invitations sent me from all over the jurisdiction, and I take the opportunity of publicly thanking the W. M. and brethren of all those Lodges for their uniform kindness and hospitality. In this connection, it would be impossible to speak of one Lodge more than another, as all were imbued with the same spirit of unbounded hospitality and brotherly love.

One of the most pleasing features of the office is the deference at all times paid the Grand Master in his official capacity, and also to his subordinates for the time being. No surer test of a genuine Mason can be found than respect for a position, even should the man not be in all respects what he should be. A short time will rectify the one, but destruction to our beloved institution will inevitably be the result of the other.

Lodges of instruction have been held : at London, for the London District, April 27th, 1882, presided over by R. W. Bro. Milner, D. D. G. M.; at Ottawa, for the Ottawa District, March 29 and 30th, 1882, under the direction of R. W. Bro. Johnston, D. D. G. M.; and at Kincardine, Huron District, presided over by R. W. Bro. Martyn, D. D. G. M., June 1st, 1882.

I was able to be present at two of these meetings, London and Kincardine. Both were fairly successful, but not as much so as I could have desired. I am of the opinion that these Lodges of Instruction, as now constituted, have served their purpose, and served it well, during the infancy and younger days of our Grand Lodge. Now that we have arrived at the age of maturity, something more advanced and progressive will have to be substituted. What that something should be is, of course, a matter of opinion, and open for discussion. In the meantime, I venture to suggest the advisability of the Grand Lodge making some provision for

a meeting once a year of all the District Deputy Grand Masters, at a central point in the Province, as soon after the annual meeting of Grand Lodge as possible. Two days would be quite sufficient for the exemplification of the work and other matters connected with the office which they hold. At these meetings, the Masters of the Lodges should, if possible, be present. I claim that, if this suggestion is carried into effect, we would have a uniformity of work all over the jurisdiction that we have not got at present, as District Deputies themselves are not agreed upon many points.

ROYAL SOLOMON MOTHER LODGE, NO. 298, JERUSALEM, PALESTINE.

I desire to call the attention of Grand Lodge to this Daughter Lodge, situated in that far-off land, from whom we have not received any correspondence in some years.

While in the Old Country last year, I met several Masons who had visited that Lodge in Jerusalem. All spoke of their visit with the greatest pleasure; not one, however, was aware that the Charter under which they work was granted by the Grand Lodge of Canada. This, of itself, is not important, but it is of the utmost importance that returns should be regularly made, showing the work that is being done, and by whom. It is the more necessary when it is considered that great numbers of Masonic tourists, from all parts of the world, are in the habit of visiting that Lodge, and that as a Grand Lodge we must be held responsible for the regularity of its proceedings.

I would suggest the propriety of obtaining and appointing a suitable and qualified Brother to act as District Deputy G. M., to whom we could look to obtain all necessary information.

GRAND REPRESENTATIVES.

I have during the year appointed the following Brethren as representatives near foreign Grand Lodges:—Worshipful

Brother Wm. Knox, near the G. L. of Connecticut, in place of R. W. Bro. Wm. Fysh, deceased; and M. W. Bro. Elihu Edmundson Pulaski, near the G. L. of Tennessee, in place of R. W. Bro. Geo. S. Blackie, deceased.

Credentials have been received, and will be presented to Grand Lodge, by V. W. Bro. Robt. Lewis, for the Grand Lodge of Rhode Island, in place of R. W. Bro. Chauncey Bennett, deceased; by R. W. Bro. Geo. S. Birrell, for the Grand Lodge of Louisiana; by R. W. Bro. Geo. J. Waugh, for the Grand Lodge of Nova Scotia; by R. W. Bro. Robert Mackay, for the Grand Lodge of Quebec; and by M. W. Bro. Moffat, for the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania, in place of M. W. Bro. Harington, deceased; by R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray, for the Grand Lodge of Prince Edward Island, in place of M. W. Bro. W. H. Weller, deceased, and by W. Bro. L. G. Jarvis, for the Grand Lodge of Ohio, in place of R. W. Bro. Robert Ramsay, resigned.

THE FOLLOWING SPECIAL COMMUNICATIONS OF GRAND LODGE
HAVE BEEN HELD :

On the 4th October, 1881, when the corner-stone of Christ Church, in the City of Belleville, was, with Masonic Ceremonies, laid by R. W. Bro. L. H. Henderson, as my proxy, and the work ably performed.

On the 30th of August, when the new hall of Wilson Lodge, No. 118, was consecrated by R. W. Bro. G. C. Eden, D. D. G. M., Wilson District.

On the 28th December, 1881, when the new hall of Georgian Lodge, No. 848, Penetanguishene, was consecrated by V. W. Bro. Robt. King.

On the 26th of January, 1881, when the new hall of Langton Lodge, No. 835, Langton, was consecrated by R. W. Bro. R. L. Gunn.

On March 7th, 1882, when I consecrated the new hall in the Temple Building, London. This was an occasion long to be remembered by those participating in the ceremony, as well as those who were listeners. The Masonic procession was a grand demonstration of Masons from all over the country. A special effort was made by the committee of arrangements to make the whole affair a success. Reduced rates on railroads and hotels were secured; these and other inducements tended greatly to increase the numbers present. The day's proceedings closed by a grand banquet, and an operatic entertainment in the New Opera House, Temple Building. At the banquet the city brethren did me the honor of presenting me with a life-size crayon portrait of myself, in regalia as Grand Master; the likeness *is said* to be most faithful, and the frame which contains it is of the most artistic description. This kindness, with others, can never be forgotten, and at the time of presentation was duly acknowledged by me. I have to thank the brethren who delivered addresses on the occasion.

On June 14th, when I laid the corner-stone of a new Methodist Church, near the town of Ingersoll, under the auspices of King Hiram Lodge, No. 37, and St. John's Lodge, No. 68, Ingersoll.

On July 1st, when I laid the corner-stone of Trinity (Episcopal) Church, in the town of Simcoe, County of Norfolk, under the auspices of Norfolk Lodge, No. 10. Being Dominion Day, and a holiday, a large gathering was the result, and our Masonic brethren from distant places combined with those of the town and neighborhood, gave a most respectable appearance, and added greatly to this one of our most imposing out-door ceremonies. To Norfolk Lodge we are all indebted for our entertainment, and the excellencies of the arrangements made on the occasion.

DISPENSATIONS.

Applications for Dispensations have been numerous, chief-

ly from Lodges that have desired to initiate candidates without the jurisdiction. I believe in every instance I have refused to grant a Dispensation unless the Lodge within whose jurisdiction the candidate resided had first given its consent. At the same time, while I have adopted this mode as the correct one, I can see no good reason for Lodges refusing their consent if the candidate has a preference, and his character will stand the strictest investigation. A certificate of character should in all cases accompany the Lodge's consent. I have also been asked to grant Dispensations to confer the Degrees in less time than the Constitution provides. These Dispensations I have also refused, as I hold it would be difficult indeed to find a case that would warrant the Grand Master in setting aside the constitutional period. To my mind it is quite short enough at present.

To Corinthian Lodge, No. 96, Barrie, to initiate Mr. Wm. K. Rankin, a resident within the jurisdiction of Minerva Lodge, No. 304, Craigvale, 20th September, 1881.

To Irvine Lodge, No. 203, Elora, to initiate Mr. William Stephenson, a candidate within the jurisdiction of Conestogo Lodge, No. 295, Drayton, 10th October, 1881.

To Preston Lodge, No. 297, Preston, to permit the installation of the W. M. elect on a day other than that named in their By-laws, 19th October, 1881.

To Forest Lodge, No. 263, Forest, to hold their election on a day other than that named in their By-laws, 9th November, 1881.

To Maple Leaf Lodge, No. 119, Bath, to have the officers elect installed in conjunction with the officers elect of Union Lodge, No. 9, Napanee, 17th December, 1881.

To the Ancient St. John's Lodge, No. 3, Kingston, to initiate Mr. A. F. Bond, a resident within the jurisdiction of Frontenac Lodge, No. 863, Cataraqui, 21st December, 1881.

To St. Clair Lodge, No. 135, Milton, to wear Masonic clothing at a ball, 22nd December, 1881.

To Richmond Lodge, No. 23, Richmond Hill, to wear Masonic clothing at a ball, 28rd December, 1881.

To St. James' Lodge, No. 74, Maitland, to hold an election for W. M. on a day other than that named in the By-laws, 23rd December, 1881.

To Nilestown Lodge, No. 845, Nilestown, to wear Masonic clothing in public, 25th December, 1881.

To Erie Lodge, No. 149, Port Dover, to wear Masonic clothing in public, 27th December, 1881.

To Tuscan Lodge, No. 195, London, to wear Masonic clothing at a ball; 27th December, 1881.

To St. Alban's Lodge, No. 200, Mount Forest, to wear Masonic clothing in public 27th December, 1881.

To Shuniah Lodge, No. 287, Prince Arthur's Landing, to wear Masonic clothing at a ball, 27th December, 1881.

To Durham Lodge, No. 306, Durham, to wear Masonic clothing in public, 27th December, 1881.

To Kinistino Lodge, No. 381, Prince Albert, N. W. T., to wear Masonic clothing in public, 27th December, 1881.

To Tudor Lodge, No. 141, Mitchell, to have the officers elect installed at an emergent meeting of the Lodge, 29th December, 1881.

To Bernard Lodge, No. 225, Listowel, to wear Masonic clothing at a ball, 28th December, 1881.

To Strict Observance Lodge, No. 27, Hamilton, to wear Masonic clothing in public, 13th January, 1882.

To Delaware Valley Lodge, No. 858, Dalaware, to wear Masonic clothing at a ball, 2nd January, 1882.

To Unity Lodge, No. 876, Huntsville, to instal the officers elect on a day other than that named in the By-laws, 4th January, 1882.

To Hanover Lodge, No. 801, Hanover, to initiate Mr. Thomas Marshall, a resident without the jurisdiction of that Lodge, 18th January, 1882.

To Vaughan Lodge, No. 54, Maple, to initiate Mr. James Armstrong, a resident temporarily in the city of Toronto.

To New Dominion Lodge, No. 205, New Hamburg, to wear Masonic clothing in public, 29th January, 1882.

To Kerr Lodge, No. 280, Bell Ewart, to pass the ballot upon certain candidates for affiliation, within a shorter period than the prescribed time, 21st April, 1882.

To Valley Lodge, No. 100, Dundas, to hold an emergent meeting for the purpose of receiving and considering certain charges made against a member of that Lodge, 18th May, 1882.

To Parvaim Lodge, No. 395, Comber, to wear Masonic clothing in public, 10th May, 1882.

To Composite Lodge, No. 80, Whitby, to initiate Mr. Cabel E. Rose, a resident within the jurisdiction of Brougham Union Lodge, No. 269, Brougham, 27th May, 1882.

To Valley Lodge, No. 100, Dundas to instal and invest officers on a day other than that named in their By-laws, 7th June, 1882.

To Grand River Lodge, No. 151, Berlin, to instal and invest officers on a day other than that named in their By-Laws, June 16th, 1882.

To New Hope Lodge, No. 279, Hespeler, to elect and instal officers on a day other than that named in their By-Laws, June 19th, 1882.

To Irvine Lodge, No. 203, Elora, to instal and invest officers on a day other than that named in their By-Laws, June 19th, 1882.

To Lebanon Forest Lodge, No. 133, Exeter, to wear Masonic clothing in public, June 23rd, 1882.

To Bernard Lodge, No. 225, Listowel, to wear Masonic clothing in public, June 28th, 1882.

CONSOLIDATION OF LODGES.

The Hiram Lodge, No. 317, Dundas, with Valley Lodge, No. 100, and warrant of the former surrendered.

RELIEF.

There seems to be intentionally a restriction placed upon Grand Masters as to granting relief, with, however, two exceptions, and these are not found in our Constitution, but in Resolutions and Rulings, 1875.

It is not my intention to find fault with the present state of the law in this respect, although I have found it rather inconvenient upon one or two occasions during the past year, especially when applications are made of a pressing nature.

On the death of Past Grand Master Harington I ascertained, while in Prescott at the funeral, that his widow required assistance, and that it was absolutely necessary that the Grand Lodge should assume the liabilities in connection with the funeral. I satisfied myself that such was the case, and authorized the Grand Secretary to supervise the bills and see that they were paid. I did so, believing that the Grand Lodge would fully approve of my action under the circumstances.

The public prints put the world in possession of the information regarding the destruction by fire of the Ring Theatre in Vienna, and the terrible loss of life caused thereby. Late in the month of March I received, through the Grand Secretary, a communication from the Lodge Humanitas, Vienna, appealing for aid for the distressed widows and orphans of deceased Masons. The appeal was strong and urgent, and one that it was impossible to resist, and as I was aware that our Grand Lodge had never yet turned a deaf ear to the cry of the widow and orphans, I assumed the responsibility, and authorized the Grand Secretary to take the necessary steps and forward the sum of twenty-five pounds sterling to Lodge Humanitas as the contribution of the Grand Lodge of Canada.

All the papers in this and the former case are in the possession of the Grand Secretary for the information of the Grand Lodge.

JURISPRUDENCE.

This department may be said, and truly, to be one of the most difficult that a Grand Master has to deal with. When the brethren get into a real old-fashioned, genuine snarl, it requires the greatest care, prudence and judgment to set matters right again. I have had during the year several cases of a most perplexing character; but by judicious treatment and the good sense and Masonic feeling of the brethren interested, I have been enabled to restore to harmony, where discord seemed to be the ruling feature.

It would answer no good purpose to go into detail, as the questions have been disposed of and judgment given, unless re-opened by an appeal to Grand Lodge, through the Board of General Purposes. In one or two of these cases I was compelled to act with great promptness, in order that brethren should not suffer through irregularities, and have the Constitution violated from want of knowledge how to act.

The first on the list was before the Board of General Pur-

poses last year, and by the Board referred to the D. D. G. M. of the London District. The case was entitled Kilwinning Lodge, No. 64, vs. Bro. Jacob Harens, and Bro. Jacob Harens vs. Kilwinning Lodge. This was a difficult case to dispose of, and gave the D. D. G. M. and myself a great deal of labor and anxious thought. Happily, it has been finally disposed of, principally through good advice and the generosity of the Lodge itself, the brethren of which, I am sure, will never regret the noble example they have set in teaching brotherly love, even at a sacrifice.

The next on the list is the Rehoboam Lodge case. This case has been heard of all over the country, having been taken notice of by the secular as well as the Masonic press. It is known as Bros. Patterson and Palmer vs. the W. M. of Rehoboam Lodge, No. 65, Toronto.

Happily, this case has also been disposed of. The whole correspondence, including my decision, is in the possession of the Grand Secretary, and will repay a perusal by the Board.

Growing out of this case is a charge against R. W. Bro. Nixon, D. D. G. M., of the Toronto District, by the same brethren, Patterson and Palmer, members of Rehoboam Lodge, Toronto.

This case, as it affects a Grand Lodge officer of high standing, is of great interest to the Craft, inasmuch as the powers and privileges of a D. D. G. M., will require to be defined in such cases as the one under review. I have, therefore, declined to give a decision, and ordered that all the papers in the case be laid before the Board for report to Grand Lodge.

The next and last case of any moment to be taken notice of is one of a most intricate nature, and seldom met with. I question if there is one of a similar character to be found in the 27 years' life of our Grand Lodge. It will be known as Bro. S. Martel Davies vs. W. Bro. John Moore, Master, and St. James' Lodge, No. 74, Maitland.

In this case Bro. Davies asks the Grand Master to set aside an election for W. M., and declare him elected, in consequence of admitted irregularities in the election held on the 5th December, 1881. On the 21st of April I decided as follows :

“Having carefully read all the papers submitted in this case, I have come to the conclusion that the Junior Warden, Bro. S. Martel Davies, a candidate for the W. Master's chair, at the election held on the night of the 5th Dec., 1881, ought to have been declared duly elected, having received a majority of the legal votes of the members present.

“The W. M., on the contrary, it appears, declared no election, and on the 22nd Dec. wrote the Grand Secretary that a tie was the result each time after seven trials of the ballot, and asking that a dispensation be granted to hold a new election for W. M. on the 27th December.

“No protest, letter or document of any kind having been received by the Grand Secretary to show that even a disagreement had taken place, further than the tie already mentioned, the dispensation was according granted. The election held on the 27th Dec. it would appear, resulted in the re-election of the then W. M., Bro. John Moore. There does not appear to be any charge made that this election was unfair in any way, the former candidate having withdrawn. The election was thus between the W. M. and the Junior Warden. The W. M. having been successful, I do not feel it my duty to interfere now, although I deeply sympathize with Bro. Davies, and deprecate in the strongest possible manner sharp practices of any kind in a Masonic Lodge.

“Yet I am not in a position, for reasons already stated, to place him in the station I believe him to be legally entitled to occupy, in consequence of not knowing how matters stood prior to granting a dispensation to hold a new election on the 27th December, 1881.”

In reply to this another appeal was made by the same.

brother and to the same effect, to which I made the following reply, dated April 28th, 1882:—

“The Grand Secretary will please acknowledge the receipt of this communication, and say to Bro. Davies, that much as I regret the result of the correspondence submitted to me in connection with this unfortunate case, my views have not changed as to the undesirability of cancelling the work of the Lodge done through the power of a dispensation, as no exception to that part of the work, but to what took place previously, had been taken.

“The whole case is a peculiar one, and not often, I trust, met with in our Lodges, and should Bro. Davies so desire, may be laid before the Board of General Purposes in July.”

Bro. Davies has since written to say that he intends to lay the whole case before the Board, so that the Grand Lodge will have the opportunity of pronouncing upon it during the session.

The following letter, with others, had been forwarded to Judge Dartnell, D. D. G. M. Ontario District, from W. Bro. D. J. Goggin, Master of Lodge 26, Port Hope. As the letter explains the case so well, I give it in full:—

R. W. SIR AND BROTHER:

Allow me to submit the following for your advice:—

Certain Brethren having been summoned to show cause why they should not be suspended for non-payment of dues, and no cause having been shown, it became necessary, in accordance with By-law No. X. of Ontario Lodge, to suspend them. Then arose the question: Whose duty is it to move their suspension? The By-law says they should be suspended, but makes no provision for procedure.

In accordance with Regulations respecting trial before a Lodge of charges for Masonic offences and proceedings therein prepared by M. W. Bro. Kerr, and adopted by Grand Lodge, and to be found in the book entitled, “Resolutions and Rulings and Masonic Trials,” page 7, clause 2, section 6, I called on the S. W. to move, and the J. W. to second, the resolution. The J. W. was willing, but the S. W. refused, on the ground that he had conscientious objections to the principle of suspension for non-payment of dues.

Feeling myself bound by the edicts of Grand Lodge, and finding that the Past Masters present read the law as I did, I then, in accordance with clause 9 of the Duties of Masters and Wardens, in the Book of Constitution, laid my case before the Lodge, and it decided unanimously that the complaint was well founded. I then displaced the S. W. and appointed another brother for the evening. The whole matter was conducted quietly, and with no manifestations of feeling, the S. W. saying that holding my views of the law, it was simply impossible for me to do otherwise.

I desire now to submit the following questions:—

1st. Have I read the law aright?

2nd. If so, is the S. W. displaced for one evening only or for the remainder of the year?

3rd. If for the remainder of the year, shall I appoint, or will the Lodge elect a successor?

4th. If I have not read the law aright, what is the proper procedure?

Yours fraternally,

(Signed,) D. J. GOGGIN,
W. M. Ontario Lodge, 26.

I am not aware what reply the D. D. G. M. made, or what decision he gave, but I judge from a subsequent letter it was not satisfactory, and that the D. D. G. M. himself felt that possibly he had erred, and laid the case before me and desired a ruling before the 15th June, in time for the Lodge meeting.

I made the following reply:—

LONDON, June 7th, 1882.

JUDGE DARTNELL,

D. D. G. M. Ontario District.

DEAR SIR AND R. W. BROTHER,—In reply to your letter of the 6th inst., and also to the letter of W. M., D. J. Goggin, Lodge No. 26, Port Hope, I may say that the question raised is a nice one, and one a little common sense might well be applied to. I do not by any means look upon the clause quoted in the Book of Resolutions and Rulings as imperative, that the J. W. should take the initiative in such a case as the one laid before me, or any similar case. I believe that any member is qualified to move or second a resolution to the effect that members may be suspended for non-payment of dues. I can easily understand in a case of this kind that an officer of a Lodge

may not desire to take the initiative, and in the case before me it would have been a very simple matter for the S. W. to have retired for a few moments, and his place temporarily supplied till the resolutions had been carried. This, I think, would have answered the purpose, had it been thought of at the time. I would not be inclined to give any such latitude to what may be termed a Masonic offence. I believe it to be the duty of the officers to look well after the morals of their respective members, so that no discredit may be brought upon the Craft generally. An officer refusing to do his duty in that respect should at once be dealt with, especially if the matter has been brought under his notice.

In this case I do not think the S. W. has been guilty of any offence that should be visited with any punishment. I take it for granted that he had conscientious reasons for not taking a leading part in the suspension of these brethren.

Yours fraternally,

JAS. MOFFAT,

Grand Master G. L. C.

From the above I think the Grand Lodge will easily discover that while I am most anxious to strengthen the hands of officers in carrying out the Rules and Regulations to the letter, at the same time there are far more important matters to be dealt with in our Lodges than suspensions for non-payment of dues, which I fear are often allowed to pass by unheeded, and the good name and standing of the Craft seriously injured in consequence.

DUES AND SUSPENSIONS.

This may be said now to be a burning question, and one that affects every Grand Lodge, more or less, upon this continent, and I think in none more so than our own.

I bespeak for this subject a careful consideration by the Board of General Purposes at an early date, as suspensions are becoming far too plentiful, being nearly equal in number to our gains from all other sources, judging from last year's returns of our Grand Lodge. I am of opinion that a remedy can easily be found for this state of things, and would suggest

a general compromise by a payment of say ten dollars by all Masons whose date of suspension goes beyond ten years, and five dollars from those under ten years, and under this arrangement the Grand Lodge relinquish entirely its portion of the claims against suspended Masons; and if, upon enquiry by a committee from the several Lodges, Masons are found whose characters are good, and are unable to pay the sum named, through poverty or distress, that the claims against them be cancelled, and they be invited to visit their respective Lodges as formerly. In many cases the dues have run on unpaid so long that it is utterly hopeless to expect that they will ever be settled but in some such way as I propose.

I would suggest that a system somewhat similar to that adopted by some other Grand Lodges be pursued, that is, under no circumstances can dues accumulate longer than three years, and if not paid at that period, by resolution of the Lodge, the offending brother be declared ineligible for office or to take part in the proceedings. The above is the only punishment ever inflicted, unless able and not willing, and then the member is dealt with for unmasonic conduct; but, until such action has been taken, his membership never ceases in the Lodge he belongs to.

Again, and I am done with this branch of the subject. In this country and the United States, there is a perfect rage for what are called Masonic Rites and Degrees, which at least proves that the want of money is not the cause, at least with some, that Lodge dues are not paid. That being the case, it seems to me it would not be asking too much, and even insisting upon it, if we as Craft Masons are expected to in any way recognize these rites or grades of Masonry, to ask that candidates should in every instance be affiliated and in good standing with some Blue Lodge.

I believe that if this suggestion was adopted and carried out by the different rites, it would have a most beneficial

effect in teaching all candidates for higher degrees that ancient Craft Masonry is the foundation of all Masonry, and as such their members must maintain their connection with that body.

CONDITION OF MASONRY.

This branch is very properly left to the District Deputy Grand Masters to report upon; their knowledge of the Craft from a constant supervision, and a residence in the respective Districts, gives them an opportunity for observation that cannot possibly be obtained by any other official within our jurisdiction. I therefore bespeak for these reports a careful perusal and consideration. My own experience, so far as I have been able to judge from the visits I have made, is that the Lodges are well up in the esoteric work, and the time has now arrived, in my opinion, when some attention should be paid to the exoteric, in the shape of lectures upon the principles of Masonry, its objects and aims, together with the duties and obligations resting upon themselves and the brethren generally. These and kindred subjects will well repay the time spent in the preparation by the Masters and Past Masters of our Lodges, and the brethren greatly interested and benefitted thereby.

WARRANTS SURRENDERED.

In this connection, I desire to call the attention of Grand Lodge to the correspondence that has taken place between the Secretary of the Grand Lodge of Manitoba and this Grand Lodge, with reference to the surrender of the warrant of Kinistino Lodge, No. 381, Prince Albert, N. W. T. From the correspondence that has taken place, I gather that the Lodge has, by resolution, accepted a warrant from the Grand Lodge of Manitoba, and that the warrant of the Grand Lodge of Canada has been forwarded to that Grand Lodge for disposal.

FOREIGN GRAND LODGES.

Our relations with other Grand Lodges are all that can be

desired, peace and harmony reign supreme, and the usual interchange of proceedings has taken place between us. I am happy to say that the vexed question between the Grand Lodge of New York and that of Connecticut, as also the difficulty between the Grand Lodges of New Mexico and Missouri are settled, or on the verge of settlement; and with the exception of the matter in dispute between the Grand Lodge of Quebec and the Grand Lodge of England, which it is to be hoped is also approaching a settlement, no cloud darkens the Masonic horizon at the present time.

Last June I was written to by the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Manitoba, requesting me to bring to the notice of my Grand Lodge in July the destitute condition of many of the Masons belonging to our jurisdiction upon their arrival, or shortly after, in Manitoba, and complaining of the burden thrown upon the Lodges of that Province, especially those in Winnipeg, in granting relief to brethren from all parts of the world, especially Ontario. The Grand Master suggests that some provision be made by our Grand Lodge to meet similar cases in the future, as the money expended so far has been from six to seven hundred dollars per annum. I felt very much surprised at the information received, and wrote for a list containing the names and amounts granted, which, I understand, is being prepared. The address of the Grand Master in 1881 refers to this matter in such a way that it cannot well be overlooked. I therefore lay the case before you for such action as you may deem proper during the session.

LODGE BY-LAWS.

From the large number of By-laws and amendments thereto that have been submitted to me for approval during the past year, I am of opinion that Grand Lodge should assume the responsibility of adopting, as part of the Constitution, a uniform set of By-laws.

The Grand Lodge has already approved of a set of By-laws, prepared by R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray, which are in print, and which have been recommended to Lodges for adoption. Lodges, however, have still continued to submit for approval By-laws not in accordance with the uniform code alluded to, and I am, therefore, of opinion that the matter had better be dealt with authoritatively by Grand Lodge.

GRAND LODGE OFFICIALS.

With the Grand Secretary, especially, the Grand Master must necessarily be in constant communication. To that officer I am under obligations for his zeal and punctuality in attending to correspondence promptly and courteously.

The Grand Treasurer, whose duty it is to conduct the financial department, I seldom come in contact with, but from his long service and well known ability and faithfulness in the discharge of his duty, I can speak with perfect confidence. His financial statement will be laid before you, which will show the finances of the Grand Lodge in a most satisfactory condition.

As the head executive officer of the Grand Lodge, in whose keeping and guidance the Craft has been since our last annual communication, when you did me the great honor of electing me your Grand Master, I have now the honor of handing back the great trust reposed in me, hoping that while in my keeping the interests of Craft Masonry have not suffered, and that my conduct throughout the year will meet your approval, and my shortcomings be overlooked and attributed to the want of knowledge, rather than to want of zeal or love for the institution.

And now, brethren, in conclusion, let me exhort you to remember the important trust committed to your care—a trust that has been carefully preserved and handed down to us from generation to generation. See to it, then, that you are

found worthy of the honor that has been conferred upon you. "Love ye one another" is the great commandment. If you do, this will prove to our enemies that a good Mason is a good man, and afford ourselves the greatest comfort, and give us a well-grounded hope of admittance into the Grand Lodge above.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. D. Spry, seconded by M. W. Bro. J. K. Kerr, and

RESOLVED.—That the address of the M. W. the Grand Master be referred to the Board of General Purposes, to report thereon.

REPORTS OF THE DISTRICT DEPUY GRAND MALTERS.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. D. Spry, seconded by R. W. Bro. Otto Klotz, and

RESOLVED.—That the reports from the various District Deputy Grand Masters be received, considered as read, and referred to the Board of General Purposes.

ST. CLAIR DISTRICT.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of Canada.

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR AND BRETHREN,—In accordance with the requirements of the Constitution of Grand Lodge and in the discharge of the duties entrusted to me, I have the honor to submit my annual report for the year now closing on the condition of Freemasonry in the St. Clair District.

I have visited nearly all the Lodges in the St. Clair District and find them working satisfactorily.

The Lodges not visited, was owing to my having arranged to do so in the second and third week in June, but the General Elections for Canada coming on, (out of the usual course) I felt it would to a great extent be useless to make an official visit at such a time as it would be impossible to get

any large attendance of the brethren of the respective Lodges, but the copies of summonses I have received from the various Lodges warrant me in saying that they are prospering and receiving a large addition of new and good material.

At the request of the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, I had the honor to perform, in his name the ceremony of dedicating, consecrating and constituting Huron Lodge, 392, Howard Lodge, 391, and Florence Lodge, 390.

There have been during the past year, I am pleased to say, but few brethren called from their Lodge on earth to the Grand Lodge above. Those reported to me were interred with the usual Masonic ceremonies.

It is a source of congratulation that no complaint has been referred to me during the year, Peace and harmony prevail throughout the District and so may it ever continue.

The usual Dispensations for wearing Masonic Regalia have been granted to the brethren on proper occasions, and I have been informed that all things were done decently and in order.

I recommended a petition for a new Lodge to be called Leopold Lodge to be held in the Village of Brigden, in the County of Lambton, for which the Grand Master duly issued his dispensation. I was present at the opening and was pleased to find such a bright prospect for the future prosperity of the Lodge. R. W. Bro. Wm. Milner, D. D. G. M. for the London District was named in the Petition as the first Master and he informs me that the Lodge is progressing even beyond their most sanguine expectation, as I felt sure it would under his able direction and his well known skill and ability.

My warmest thanks are due to W. Bro. W. H. Sparling, W. M., Parthenon Lodge, 267, for the efficient and prompt

manner in which he discharged the various duties assigned to him as District Secretary thereby very materially assisting me in attending to the interests of the Brethren of the District.

In closing my report I must again express my gratitude and sincerest thanks to the officers and brethren of the District for the universal kindness and fraternal welcome with which I was received when paying my official visits, and as I will not be in a position to accept the office again, I trust the same courtesy will be extended to my successor as has been to myself during the six years I have been District Deputy Grand Master. And pray it may please the G. A. O. T. U. long to continue the peace and harmony that prevails amongst the brethren of St. Clair District,

All of which is most respectfully submitted.

THOMAS C. MACNABB,

D. D. G. M. St. Clair District.

Chatham, July 7th, 1882.

LONDON DISTRICT.

To the Most Worshipful, the grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of Canada.

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR AND BRETHREN,—I have the honor to submit my report on the condition of Freemasonry in the London District.

When I assumed the responsible position of District Deputy Grand Master of the London District, the largest under our beloved Grand Lodge of Canada, I felt that I had undertaken a task that would tax my utmost energies to accomplish, and I can assure you that I was not much disappointed. As there were at that time thirty-nine Lodges, and one has been added since, you will have some idea of the work to be performed if justice is done to them all as well as to each individual mem-

ber thereof. I undertook the arduous duty with a determination to perform it to the best of my ability, and by visiting, and attending to the requirements of the Lodges; and by the warm welcome I have received from every Lodge, I am led to believe that I have, at least partially, met the views of the brethren.

The first duty devolving upon me was the constitution, dedication and consecration of the new Lodge at Ilderton, named Henderson Lodge, No. 888. This Lodge bids fair to be a credit to the Grand Lodge and the Order.

The matter of Bro. Harens and Kilwinning Lodge, referred to me by the M. W. the Grand Master, I am pleased to inform you, was satisfactorily adjusted. Several minor matters as to the Constitution and work have been referred to me, and disposed of generally in accordance with the opinions of those best able to judge.

In my visits throughout the District, I found the Lodges, as a rule, very well worked, and that the officers acquitted themselves with credit and honor to the Craft.

I would recommend all Lodges to at once get the work on rulings published by the Grand Lodge, from the Grand Secretary.

I have granted several dispensations to wear regalia at divine worship, which I believe is of great interest to the Craft as well as to each individual member.

I regret that several deaths have been reported, of highly esteemed brethren, whose remains have been interred with the usual Masonic ceremonies.

I was present at the consecration and dedication of the beautiful Masonic Temple just completed in the city of London. It stands, a grand and imposing monument to the brethren of London, as it is perhaps among the finest Masonic

temples of the world. The Lodge-rooms for the several degrees of Masonry are most handsomely arranged and furnished, and if Masonry flourishes anywhere on this continent it certainly does in the Forest City.

I held a Lodge of Instruction in London, and am proud to report that the result was most gratifying. There was a large attendance from the Lodges of the District, and the Most Worshipful the Grand Master was also present. The work was exemplified in the most able manner by W. Bro. Paine, of Euclid Lodge, Strathroy; W. Bro. Grant, of Beaver Lodge, Strathroy; W. Bros. Simpson and Glass, of King Solomon Lodge, London West, and several of the brethren of the city Lodges, to whom I tender my thanks for the assistance rendered, also for the use of their magnificent Lodge-room. It appears to me that the holding of at least one Lodge of Instruction in each District yearly would be the means of doing more good than any other plan that could be adopted by the District Deputy Grand Masters of the several Districts.

I received an application for the formation of a new Lodge at Harrietsville; and finding that there appeared to be plenty of room for it, and that the brethren applying were well-skilled and quite able to manage a Lodge as it should be, I recommended the petition to the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, who was pleased to grant his dispensation for the holding of the same until the meeting of this Grand Lodge. In honor of the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, the Lodge was named Moffat Lodge. As their prospects to become a flourishing Lodge are good, I recommend that a warrant be granted.

Owing to business engagements at the time, I was, (although very reluctantly) unable to proceed to Harrietsville to institute the new Lodge, and applied to R. W. Bro. McGloghlon to act for me. He cheerfully accepted the duty and performed it to the entire satisfaction of the brethren, and

for which he has my warmest thanks. There was a large attendance from all the surrounding Lodges, who were highly pleased with the proceedings, and promised to render the new Lodge every assistance.

I would fail in my duty should I close this report without thanking the Grand Master for his valuable assistance and aid during my term of office. He was always ready and willing to give me his valuable time and counsel, and the brethren in the London District feel proud of the honor of having him amongst them. May he long remain to diffuse light amongst us.

I have also, amongst many others, to tender my hearty thanks to R. W. Bros. Banghart and McGloghlon, who have been ever ready to give their time and to render me every possible assistance. I also tender thanks to the various Masters and Past Masters throughout the District, many of whom, (if space would permit) are worthy of special mention, as all have been most anxious to make my visits pleasant.

Finally, may peace and harmony reign in the London District, and may our beloved Grand Lodge of Canada go on and prosper until time shall be no more.

WM. MILNER,
D. D. G. M. London District.

Strathroy, 3rd July, 1882.

WILSON DISTRICT.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of Canada:

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR AND BRETHREN,—I again submit for your consideration my report upon the condition of Masonry within the District.

I have, during the past year, visited nearly all the Lodges in my District, and am pleased to be able to report that, on the whole, they are working satisfactorily.

By the request of the Most Worshipful Grand Master, I had the pleasure, on the 30th of August, 1881, of dedicating and consecrating the new hall of Wilson Lodge, No. 118, Waterford.

I also had the honor to represent the Most Worshipful the Grand Master on the 18th October, 1881, at the village of Thamesford, when, assisted by a number of brethren from Woodstock, Ingersoll, and other places, I dedicated and consecrated the new hall belonging to King Solomon Lodge, Thamesford.

I was most agreeably surprised to find that the brethren had provided, in both instances, such beautiful Lodge-rooms. I doubt if any place of its size in Canada can boast of a more handsome and convenient Lodge-room than that possessed by the brethren of Wilson Lodge, Waterford, and it afforded me the greatest of pleasure to learn that the Most Worshipful Grand Master had since visited both the said Lodges, as I am certain that the brethren well-deserved the honor his visit conferred upon them.

I was also appointed by the Most Worshipful Grand Master to perform the ceremony of consecrating and dedicating a new hall at Langton, for the brethren of Langton Lodge, No. 335, but owing to a previous engagement for the same evening with the brethren of Blenheim Lodge, Drumbo, I had to request that some other brother be appointed to conduct the ceremony.

I have had very few appeals or complaints referred to me ; in fact, there were only two that were in any way of a serious nature, and I am pleased to say they have been amicably settled, and that I leave no difficulty in my District to vex my successor in office.

In retiring from the office which I have had the honor to hold for the past two years, I desire once more to thank the brethren for their many acts of kindness towards me.

And now, with just a word to the brethren who have accompanied me on my official visits, before I bid farewell to the Wilson District in my official capacity. The hardest and most disagreeable task a D. D. G. M. meets, is after spending a pleasant evening with the brethren of a Lodge he has visited, when bidding good-bye to the genial faces, and after he has grasped the last outstretched hand with a brother's grip, and heard the last God's-speed, to seat himself in his conveyance and drive alone perhaps of a stormy night over bad roads for twenty or thirty miles in order to be home to attend to business on the morrow, and it is on this account that I render to you, my brethren, my heartfelt gratitude for your more than kindness to me. Many a lonesome ride has been made merry, many a mile has been made short, by the charm of your presence, and should I live to the allotted time given to man by the G. A. of the Universe, it would be impossible for me to forget the happy nights you have been the means of my enjoying.

And now, my brethren, may the Most High guide and protect you, and may we all meet together in that Grand Lodge not made with hands, but which endureth forever.

All of which is fraternally submitted.

G. C. EDEN,
D. D. G. M. Wilson District.

Woodstock, 10th June, 1882.

HURON DISTRICT.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, and to the Grand Lodge of
A. F. & A. M. of Canada.

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR AND BRETHREN,—It again becomes my duty to submit a Report of my proceedings and of the state of Masonry in the Huron District.

I have not been able this year to visit all the Lodges in the District ; but I have visited a good number of them and, by

means of their monthly notices of meetings, I have been kept pretty thoroughly posted as to the progress of all, which, I am happy to be able to report, is very satisfactory.

I have visited Cedar Lodge, U. D., working at Wiarton, in the Indian Peninsula of the County of Bruce, and found it doing a fair amount of work and doing it well. This Lodge was opened only just before the last meeting of Grand Lodge and, therefore, did not receive a Warrant but I trust one will be granted at the approaching session.

I have granted only one dispensation to allow the brethren to appear in public clothed as Masons, viz.: to Clinton Lodge, for the purpose of attending divine service yesterday, the second day of July.

I have been applied to for permission to remove Zurich Lodge, No. 224, from the Village of Zurich in the County of Huron, to the village of Hensoll, in the same County. I believe the proposed removal would be for the benefit of the Lodge and of the Craft in general and shall, if possible, have it consummated before Grand Lodge meets.

I had the pleasure of holding a Lodge of Instruction in the Town of Kincardine, on the 21st day of June, at which the M. W. the Grand Master, and the R. W. the Grand Secretary were present. A very pleasant and profitable time was spent.

I have had but very few complaints or appeals referred to me and those of such a character as to be easily adjusted.

In conclusion I tender my sincere thanks to the brethren of Huron District for their uniform kindness and courtesy to your representative on all occasions.

All of which is very respectfully submitted.

DEWITT H. MARTYN

D D. G. M. Huron District.

Kincardine, July 3rd, 5882.

WELLINGTON DISTRICT.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M., of Canada.

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR AND BRETHREN,—In accordance with the provisions of the Constitution, I have the honor to submit for your information, the following report on the condition of Freemasonry in the Wellington District, during the twelve months that it has been under my supervision.

I have endeavored, to the best of my ability, to discharge the duties of District Deputy Grand Master by visiting all the Lodges in the District, with two exceptions, and criticizing the work done by each Lodge, setting the officers right in points in which I considered that they were wrong, and exemplifying the proper method by taking part in the work myself. I was on my way to visit Wilmot Lodge, No. 318, Baden—one of the two that I failed to visit,—when I was taken suddenly ill at Hespeler, and was obliged to return home, which I did with great difficulty, and in consequence was unable to complete the full tour of the District before it was time to start for Grand Lodge.

In most of the Lodges that I visited I found the work as approved of by the Grand Lodge strictly adhered to, and the brethren desirous and anxious to observe the ancient landmarks of the Order. There are a few Lodges in the Wellington District that are in a weak and unhealthy condition, arising chiefly from local circumstances. Hemmed in, as it were, by older Lodges on all sides, there is not the proper material offering to make a healthy Lodge, and the consequence is that a deadness seems to be creeping in among the members of these Lodges, and there is not that interest manifested that ought to be. In such cases I have urged the brethren to hold Lodges of Instruction on the night of regular meeting, and by this means they would be able to keep the work fresh in their memory, and it would possess for them a

greater interest than if they merely met and went through the routine business and closed. However, on the whole, I can safely say that Masonry has made considerable progress in this District during the year just closed. Some of the Lodges that for the two previous years were almost at a stand still, have received into their ranks men that will reflect credit to their respective Lodges and honor on the Craft in general.

Peace and harmony have generally prevailed. Only one new case of complaint came before me, which was a dispute between Harriston Lodge, No. 262, and Clifford Lodge, No. 815, as to jurisdiction. This was finally decided by the Grand Master. One case that originated during my predecessor's term of office, between Irvine Lodge, No. 203, Elora, and Prince Arthur Lodge, No. 835, as to jurisdiction, I succeeded, I am happy to say, in having amicably arranged to the mutual satisfaction of both parties. I found that the brethren of Mercer Lodge, No. 247, Fergus, for the past two years previous to my coming to the office of D. D. G. M. for this District, had been allowing the United Order of Workmen to use their Lodge-room, in which to hold their meetings. At my official visit to this Lodge, in December last, I pointed out to the officers that this was contrary to the rulings of Grand Lodge, and that it must be discontinued. By the terms of the lease which they had given the Workmen, they were compelled to give three months' notice previous to the expiration of any one year. Their year will be up in October next, and the brethren of Mercer Lodge agreed to give the necessary notice and discontinue the lease.

I issued dispensations to permit the brethren of several of the Lodges to appear in Masonic clothing at divine service, and in each case, I am glad to state, that the result was beneficial.

In conclusion, I have to thank the brethren of this District for the kind, courteous and fraternal manner in which they

received me on my official visits, and for the ready acquiescence which they manifested to all my rulings. I have also to record the universal expression of loyalty and affection manifested by the brethren throughout the whole District for the Grand Lodge of Canada, and to express the hope that the same love and harmony that have marked the progress of Freemasonry in the Wellington District during the past year may still prevail during the years that are to come.

All of which is most respectfully submitted.

S. S. McCORMACK,
D. D. G. M. Wellington District.

Orangeville, July 8rd, 1882.

HAMILTON DISTRICT.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of Grand Lodge A. F. & A. M. of Canada.

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR AND BRETHREN,—In fulfillment of my duty I beg to lay before you my report on the condition of Masonry in the Hamilton District for the past year.

And in so doing I must express my pleasure that I am enabled to state that I have visited all the Lodges in my District, and have found (with one exception) that harmony prevails; the Lodges are financially prosperous, and the work as prescribed by Grand Lodge faithfully and energetically performed.

The consolidation of Valley and Hiram Lodges was carried out in accordance with suggestions made for guidance in such cases, and I have no doubt it will be a great advantage to the Craft in that section of the District.

In December last, R. W. Bro. Chauncey Bennett P. D. G. M. of Wilson District, died in this neighborhood, and under the peculiar circumstances I deemed it my duty with the concurrence of P. D. D. G. M's. of this District to

call the brethren together to accord to one, who was highly esteemed by all who knew him, the last sad rites of our Order. And again in May, our R. W. Bro. J. M. Meakins was called to his rest and the brethren of every rite in this District deeply mourn for one whose time, means, energy and experience were always at the disposal of the brethren for the advantage of the Craft.

I have granted dispensations for the brethren to appear in public in Masonic clothing and have made due return of the same.

A large proportion of the Lodges have (in accordance with the suggestion of Grand Lodge) contributed to defray the necessary expenses of the District.

To the Worshipful Masters and Officers of the various Lodges I am much indebted for unvarying kindness and generous treatment, also to many W. Brethren of the City of Hamilton for their hearty co-operation.

The kindness so shewn to me in the discharge of my duty has rendered my term of office very pleasant, and laid me under a debt of gratitude to all those who so assisted me.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. G. REID,
D. D. G. M. Hamilton District.

Hamilton, July 4th, 1882.

NIAGARA DISTRICT.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Brethren of the
Grand Lodge of Canada

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR AND BRETHREN,—In compliance with the requirements of the Constitution, and the Grand Lodge, I beg to submit my official report for the Masonic year just ended.

I visited all the Lodges in the District, with the exception

of three. These three I intended to visit, and indeed appointed nights for that purpose, but local causes prevented the meetings upon the evenings in question. Several of the Lodges I visited more than once. At each of my visits, I made a short address in illustration of the principles of Masonry, and for the purpose of bringing more vividly before the brethren, the duties incumbent upon them as Masons in their relations to one another, and to the world generally. These addresses were to all appearance not only kindly received, but, on every occasion, the brethren were good enough to express their approval by resolution.

I also delivered two public lectures on Masonry, viz: at Thorold and Jarvis.

During the year I granted three dispensations for brethren to appear in regalia, viz: to Maple Leaf Lodge, St. Catharines, for a "Literary Festival;" to Mountain Lodge, Thorold, for a "Literary Festival," and to Myrtle Lodge, Port Robinson, for a "Festival."

I am sorry to say that I was under the necessity of cancelling the action of a Lodge, and suspending one of its officers who had been charged with a serious Masonic offence, and who had been pronounced innocent of the charges preferred against him, when in my opinion, the evidence adduced warranted a contrary finding. The matter was referred to the Grand Master, who promptly endorsed my procedure in the matter.

I am compelled to state that I have not found the Order in as flourishing and vigorous a condition as I would have wished. Certainly there is not in some places manifested that interest in the institution which its aims and objects have a right to claim. The attendance at Lodges generally is not so full or regular as it ought to be. There are, however, several notable exceptions to this state of things. As far as I can judge, there are members of the Order, who, however

sound they may be in theory, in practice at least, in spite of their solemn obligations, seem to ignore the close brotherly ties that should bind Masons together, and to forget that they are expected by the world to live up to their professions. This has a great influence for bad, and tends to lower the Order in the estimation of those whose respect and good opinion are well worth having, and who would be the first in their recognition of its many excellencies were its principles carried out in the practice of its members. In my opinion, it is time that Grand Lodge should take steps to enforce from members a stricter adherence to the letter and spirit of their obligations, and make them understand that if they are Masons in name they must be so in reality.

In so saying I know that I am only expressing the sentiments of all true Masons—of those who love the order and are jealous of its honor, who ever are at the post of duty, and who, in a word, earnestly strive to exemplify in their own lives and practice, the duties which they believe they owe to their God, their neighbours and themselves.

In conclusion I would take this opportunity of expressing my profound appreciation of the very many courtesies and acts of kindness received from the brethren in my official visits throughout the District, acts which will ever be treasured up in my memory.

All of which is fraternally submitted.

J. MURESON DUNN,

D. D. G. M. Niagara District.

Welland, July 1st, 1882.

TORONTO DISTRICT.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master and Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of Canada.

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR AND BRETHREN,—I have the honor

to submit my report on the condition of Masonry in the Toronto District.

I have much pleasure in being able to report that Freemasonry in this District is in the most prosperous condition, and that harmony and good feeling prevail in all the Lodges.

The number of Lodges in the District is the same as last year. An application was made from a number of brethren in the Village of Scarboro' for a dispensation to open a new Lodge, but from the fact that some of the petitioners left the jurisdiction for the North-West, and for other reasons, it was deemed advisable to withdraw the application, and it was returned.

I regret that I have not been able to visit all the Lodges in the District, but those which I did visit conducted the work in accordance with the regulations of the Grand Lodge, and rendered the ritual both correctly and impressively.

I have also installed the officers of a number of Lodges, and have every reason to feel well satisfied with the officers selected. I have in each case taken care to ascertain that the W. M. elect was able to perform the work before proceeding with the installation.

Very few deaths have been reported to me. The only one of which I was officially notified was that of R. W. Bro. C. W. Paterson, P. G. Chaplain, and W. M. of Rising Sun Lodge, No. 129, Aurora, whose remains were accompanied by the brethren to the cemetery in the city of Toronto, and there interred with the usual Masonic ceremonies.

My correspondence with the Lodges has been somewhat extensive, and I am glad to know that my rulings have been satisfactory.

I have during the year granted several dispensations for brethren to appear in regalia at social gatherings, and in one

instance for the purpose of attending divine service, and have every reason to believe that in each case the proceedings were "commenced in order, conducted in peace, and closed in harmony."

Two of the Lodges have, during the year, celebrated their twenty-fifth anniversary, viz.: St. John's Lodge, No. 75, and Wilson Lodge, No. 86, on both of which occasions I had the pleasure of being present, with the M. W. the Grand Master, Deputy Grand Master, Grand Secretary, and other distinguished brethren.

I have received but few complaints, and have succeeded in settling these without difficulty, with one exception, a complaint made against the W. M. of Rehoboam Lodge by two brothers of the Lodge, which the Grand Master referred to a commission, of which commission I was chairman. We succeeded in effecting an amicable settlement of the difficulties without entering into a trial or taking the evidence, and reported our actions to the M. W. the Grand Master.

In retiring from the position of D. D. G. M., I desire to express my hearty thanks to the brethren for the uniform kindness and courtesy with which I have been received during my official visits, and I may say on all occasions where we have met together as Masons.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JAMES B. NIXON,
D. D. G. M. Toronto District:

Toronto, 10th July, 1882.

GEORGIAN DISTRICT.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of A. F. and A. M. of Canada.

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR AND BRETHREN,—During the year, I have visited several of the Lodges of my District, and found

them generally presided over by skilful brethren and in a satisfactory condition.

I am happy to say that I had no complaints to consider, except one from a brother of Kerr Lodge, No. 230, who had been suspended by that Lodge in the year 1878 for unmasonic conduct. After examining into the matter, I declined to interfere with the action of the Lodge.

An application was made to me by Kerr Lodge to permit them to move from Bell Ewart to some more suitable place. It was represented to me that the Lodge could not continue its existence at Bell Ewart, as that place, which was at one time a flourishing village, was now almost deserted, and that only one member of the Lodge resided there. After visiting the Lodge and consulting with the brethren, I found that it was a necessity, for the maintenance of the Lodge, that it should be removed to some suitable place.

Several of the Masons in Barrie, including R. W. Bro. Spry, having agreed to join the Lodge if removed there, and having satisfied myself that there was ample room for a second Lodge in Barrie, I gave my consent to the removal of the Lodge to that place. Since its removal I understand it has progressed most satisfactorily.

I regret to find Caledonia Lodge, No. 249, in an unsatisfactory state, but as the Lodge is making an effort to meet its obligations, I think it would be well to give it a further opportunity to recover itself.

In conclusion, I have to thank the brethren for the kindness with which I was everywhere received on my official visits, and also to thank those brethren who accompanied me in some of my visits.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN CREASOR,
D. D. G. M. Georgian District.

Owen Sound, July 3rd, 1882.

ONTARIO DISTRICT.

To the Most Worshiptul the Grand Master and the Grand Lodge of Canada.

The undersigned District Deputy Grand Master of the Ontario District, in accordance with his duty, reports to Grand Lodge, as follows :

STATE OF THE CRAFT.

Peace and prosperity have been the characteristics of the Craft in this District during the past Masonic year. Harmony has prevailed and the very few complaints made to me have been of a trivial nature and easily adjustable.

MASONIC LAW AND DECISIONS.

I have been called upon to express my opinion upon the following points, among others :

1. A suspended brother has no right to enter his own or any other Lodge, until the cause of suspension be removed (vide Tyler's obligation). Much less can he vote upon such an important matter as the balloting for a candidate while his dues remain unpaid. The moment his arrears are paid or reach the hands of the Secretary he is *ipso facto* re-instated, and entitled to enter the Lodge.

2. A ballot is passed and declared "not clear;" *after* the Lodge closed, members expressed themselves to the W. M. their opinion that a mistake had been undoubtedly made. At a subsequent regular meeting a petition was presented to the W. M. alleged to have been signed by all the members present at the meeting at which the balloting took place, requesting the W. M. "to exercise the authority vested in him as W. M., to permit a re-consideration of that part of the business which related to balloting and to take it up as unfinished business."

In reply to the W. M's. request for advice I ruled that to

accede to such a request was not within his duty a prerogative and would be a violation of the Constitution; that a ballot cannot be postponed, much less re-considered at a subsequent meeting (vide G. L. proceedings 1865, page 81): that the candidate must be balloted for at the regular meeting after receipt of petition on report of Committee; that a second ballot cannot be demanded as a right (G. L. P. 1859, pages 65, 192,): that the W. M. after report from the Wardens, can pass the ballot once or more often in his discretion, but that once having declared the result "not clear" the ballot is closed unless before passing to other business, and before any of the voting brethren have left the Lodge, one, or more, of the brethren declare that a mistake has been made: that the petitioners should have declared their opinions promptly: that the matter had passed beyond the W. M.'s control, and the rejected candidates would have to accept the situation, however unfortunate: that it would be better that many good men should be excluded, temporarily only it is to be hoped, by such mistakes than that unworthy material should be admitted by relaxing the stringent provisions of the Constitution.

8. The test of physical fitness appears to be, "Can the applicant properly and effectively, so as to understand and be understood, receive and communicate all the words and signs of the three degrees?" Applying this test, a totally deaf or blind person would be ineligible, as would also one deprived of a limb. Not so, one blind of one eye or deaf of one ear; Grand Lodge has decided (1881) that a candidate deprived of his foot or his right thumb is ineligible. The reason in the last case is an illustration. The loss of the left thumb would not, for reasons which will occur to the initiated. In case of reasonable doubt in the minds of any W. M. he should apply to the G. M. for a dispensation.

4. In the event of a W. M. refusing to appoint a Board of Audit under the By-laws of the Lodge, the Lodge itself could

name a Committee or Board of Audit. What the Constitution requires is that the accounts of each Lodge should be audited at least once a year. The method of appointing them is of minor importance.

5. After election, but before installation, the W. M. elect of a Lodge having decided to leave the country, was not willing to accept office, I held that it would be proper and convenient for him, at the next meeting, to decline installation, and to ask the Lodge not to confirm the minutes in so far as his election was concerned. This being done, the Lodge should, at their next meeting, proceed to elect another Master on the provisions of the Constitution (pages 51 and 52 "of Masters and Wardens"), being complied with.

6. It is not expressly provided by the Constitution that the report on the application of a candidate should be unanimous, although it is preferable it should be so. A brother who declines to sign, for reasons personal and not Masonic, should ask the W. M. to withdraw his name from the committee, and appoint another brother in his place.

7. It is not necessary to ask for and obtain from the D. D. G. M. a dispensation for a Masonic funeral.

8. A brother is entitled to his dimit, notwithstanding that there are charges against him. He is still amenable to Masonic trial, and, on conviction, penalties, notwithstanding his withdrawal.

9. Certain brethren having been reported liable to suspension for N. P. D., the W. M. called upon the S. W. to move such suspension. He, having conscientious scruples on the subject, declined to make the motion, and, on request of the W. M., vacated his chair, another being appointed in his place. The Lodge subsequently moved a resolution vacating his chair. I was of the opinion that he was guilty of no Masonic offence involving consequences so serious as to deprive

for affiliation shall, without ballot or fee, and (in each individual case, no Brother of the Lodge objecting), shall, upon signing the By-laws of the Lodge become members thereof."

A By-law in somewhat similar terms has been passed by Lodge No. 91. It is not here necessary to advert to the circumstances under which Excelsior Lodge was established, but deeming it for the good of Masonry that the amalgamation should be effected, I submitted the amendment to the G. M., who has confirmed the same. I have not yet been advised as to any action being taken by Excelsior Lodge.

The foregoing is somewhat by way of suggestion as to the manner in which amalgamation may be effected, until such time as Grand Lodge may make other provision.

GRIEVANCES.

These have been of so trivial a nature as hardly to call for notice. One was in relation to a dispute between a Tyler and his Lodge as to the amount due to him, and the only other a complaint as to the non-receipt of a Grand Lodge certificate. As I have heard nothing further in respect to those two complaints, I presume they have been settled to the satisfaction of the aggrieved brethren.

There are a few Lodges in the District who either have become dormant, or whose Secretaries fail to address summonses to the D. D. G. M., as is made imperative by the requirements of the Constitution.

AMENDMENTS TO BY-LAW.

Several Lodges have amended their By-laws, and I have considered the same and transmitted them to the G. M. for confirmation.

DISPENSATIONS.

I have received applications for and granted the following dispensations:—

On 12th December, 1881, to Orono Lodge, No. 825, Orono, to attend a lecture and supper in Masonic clothing.

On 2nd January, 1882, to Verulam Lodge, No. 268, Bobcaygeon, to appear in Masonic clothing at a social entertainment in the Lodge-room.

On the same date to Ontario Lodge, No. 26, Port Hope, to attend a conversazione.

On the 8rd January, 1882, to King Hiram Lodge, No. 89, Lindsay, to attend a Masonic concert.

NEW LODGES.

A properly signed and vouched-for petition, praying for a dispensation for a Lodge to be held at the village of Kirkfield, on the Toronto and Nipissing Division of the Midland Railway. Having personal knowledge of the officers designated, and, having made all due and necessary enquiries, I had much pleasure in recommending the application to the favorable consideration of the M. W. the G. M., and he was pleased to issue his dispensation. The Lodge has received much kindly assistance from the members of Brock Lodge, in Cannington, of which the new Lodge is an off-shoot. This is the most northerly Lodge in the District. It is in good hands and has already received a number of good applications. It is well equipped and found, and I predict for it a career of usefulness and prosperity.

It is proposed to ask for a dispensation for a Lodge to be held at Williamsburg, in the Township of Cartwright, in the County of Durham, distant about six miles, in a direct line, from the village of Port Perry, at which place Prince Albert Lodge, No. 183, holds its meetings. Owing to Lake Scugog intervening the distance is about twelve miles by travelled road. There are several members of Prince Albert Lodge residing in the vicinity, and it is proposed that a P. M. of that Lodge should be designated as the first W. M. Prince

Albert Lodge is the nearest Lodge to the west, and the Lindsay and Omemee Lodges to the north, and Jerusalem Lodge, Bowmanville, to the south, are each about fifteen to eighteen miles distant from the proposed place of holding, which is a thriving village, in the midst of a rich and populous farming country. The papers have not yet been received by me, and I state these facts for the information of my successor.

I regret that a more than usual amount of public and official duties has rendered it impossible for me to visit Lodges in my District to the extent that I should have wished. To make amends for this, I have given unremitting attention to all Masonic work; and have promptly answered all correspondence addressed to me.

In surrendering to Grand Lodge the important trust held by me for the period of three years, I desire to express to the brethren of the District my deep sense of their unvarying courtesy and fraternal kindness. I am conscious of not having exhibited the zeal and energy of some of my predecessors, but trust I have done my best under the circumstances, and that my brethren will

“ Be to my faults a little blind,
Be to my virtues very kind.”

All of which is fraternally submitted.

GEO. H. DARTNELL,
D. D. G. M. Ontario District.

Whitby, July 8th, 1882.

PRINCE EDWARD DISTRICT.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the
Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of Canada.

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR AND BRETHREN.—The past year has been marked in Prince Edward District by an even and steady progress in Masonry, as will be shown by the Grand Lodge returns from the various Lodges in this District. Nothing

very remarkable has occurred amongst us, nor have I been called on to exercise the authority vested in me for any but the most agreeable and pleasant purposes.

I have received only two complaints during the year, on one of which I gave my opinion and advice, and presume the matter must have been amicably arranged, as I have not since heard of it. The second complaint is still pending. Moira Lodge, No. 11, Belleville, through its W. Master and one of the members, complain that Mystic Lodge, No. 278, Roslin, are violating the Grand Lodge Constitution by making Masons within the jurisdiction of Moira Lodge; and also an irregularity in reference to a funeral, which occurred recently at Canifton, over which the brethren of Mystic Lodge presided. On visiting this Lodge (Mystic) I gave them my opinion and advice, and now think the matter will be satisfactorily and finally arranged. Or it may come up for adjudication at this Communication of Grand Lodge.

No other matters of any very great importance have come to my knowledge, except some questions of Masonic Jurisprudence, which, by the aid of the Digest, I was able to answer.

I have granted two dispensations during the year. One to Moira Lodge, No. 11, Belleville, for a Masonic conversazione in their hall; the second one to Mystic Lodge, No. 278, Roslin, to attend a Masonic picnic in aid of the Church of England.

Application has been made to me for dispensations for the formation of three new Lodges, one at Desoronto, one at Tamworth, and one at Colebrook, the papers of which are not yet completed.

I have much pleasure in reporting that I was requested by the Most Worshipful the Grand Master to lay the foundation stone of a new Canada Methodist Church, in the vicinity of Franck Lodge, but owing to the shortness of time the notices

could not reach the various Lodges, and the Grand Lodge regalia could not be procured, as it was to be used by the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, at Simcoe, in two days after, (Sunday intervening); consequently the ceremonies could not be performed.

Owing to circumstances over which I had no control, I have not been able to visit as many of the Lodges as I could have wished. Many of the Lodges are working well, according to Grand Lodge Ritual, while others, especially among the young Masters, the work is badly done, owing to the want of the R——, which, I may be here permitted to say, should be supplied in some way to each Lodge as its property. There being now twenty-two Lodges in my District, with three others about being formed, in order to do justice to each Lodge by visiting it once, would require two months, or nearly that time, of constant labor to perform that work, which is too much for one man in one year. Each D. D. G. M., therefore, in my opinion, should have two years if he desires to do his work well.

Two brethren have been removed by death in my District during the year, Bro. S. McCoy, of Marmora Lodge, for whom I had the melancholy pleasure of performing the Masonic burial service. The other was Bro. Palmer, of Mystic Lodge, who was also buried with Masonic honors. These have been reported to me. Others no doubt have occurred, of which, however, I have had no report.

In conclusion, I heartily thank the brethren of my District for the honor they conferred on me in electing their D. D. G. M., and also for the fraternal greetings and uniform kindness shown me during my term of office, and which by me will not be soon forgotten.

All of which is fraternally submitted.

J. S. LOOMIS,

D. D. G. M. Prince Edward District.

Madoc, July 10th, 1882.

ST. LAWRENCE DISTRICT.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of Grand Lodge A. F. & A. M. of Canada.

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR AND BRETHREN,—In conformity with the requirements of the Constitution, I have the honor to submit my report as D. D. G. M. of St. Lawrence District, for the year 1881-2.

I am happy to report that without exception the Lodges in this large District are working in excellent harmony.

The questions submitted to me for decision have not been of a momentous character and I believe have all been correctly and amicably settled, with the exception of one case, which occurred in Leeds Lodge, No. 201, Gananoque. The circumstances of this case are so peculiar and so far as my knowledge goes so unprecedented, that I deemed it best to reserve the matter for the consideration of the Board of General Purposes, with which end in view I forwarded the papers to the R. W. the Grand Secretary.

On the 5th of October last, I consecrated and dedicated the Lodge Crystal Fountain, No. 389, at North Augusta, on which occasion I was ably assisted by a number of brethren from Cornwall, Brockville, Maitland and elsewhere.

During the year I have granted Dispensations to Leeds Lodge, No. 201, and to Lancaster Lodge, No. 207, to attend Divine Service, clothed as Masons.

It was my melancholy duty to assist at the interment of our late lamented M. W. P. G. M., Bro. T. D. Harington, at Prescott, on which occasion the principal officers of Grand Lodge were present.

I regret that I have not been able to visit as many of the Lodges as I could have wished. The District is a large one, the Lodges are scattered, many of them accessible only by

driving long distances and the entire absence of winter roads during my year of office rendered the task almost an impossibility.

I am happy to say, however, that I have nothing but commendation for those which I have been able to reach.

In conclusion, I have to express my deep appreciation of the fraternal kindness extended to me by the Masters of Lodges and all the brethren with whom I have come in contact; my thanks are specially due to the R. W. the Grand Secretary for the prompt kindness with which he replied to my numerous communications and assisted me with his valued counsel.

Fraternally submitted,

A. F. MILLIKIN,

D. D. G. M. St. Lawrence District.

Cornwall, July 8, 1882.

OTTAWA DISTRICT.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, and Members of the Grand Lodge of Canada.

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR AND BRETHREN,—In compliance with the requirements of the Constitution, I beg leave to present the following report:—

In the first place, I regret exceedingly to have to state, that, owing to the various calls on my time, the vast extent of this District, and its numerous Lodges, I have been quite unable to visit them all. But though this is the case, I have gathered sufficient reliable information to warrant me in saying that Masonry throughout my jurisdiction is in a tolerably flourishing condition, many of the Lodges being well attended and well worked, according to the prescribed ritual.

On the 28th, 29th and 30th of March last, I held a general Lodge of Instruction in the Ottawa Masonic Hall, which was

attended by a large, enthusiastic and highly interested number of brethren, nearly all the Lodges being represented, and over one hundred names appeared on the register as being present.

On the first evening the opening and closing of the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Degrees were well exemplified by W. Bros. F. H. W. Leggatt, Fidelity Lodge; A. Smale, Doric Lodge, and J. Kearns, of Builders' Lodge. On the second evening, the 1st and 2nd Degrees were very smoothly and ably worked by W. Bro. Dr. A. Rogers, of Civil Service Lodge, and W. Bro. C. Campbell, of Dalhousie Lodge. On the third evening, the 3rd Degree was worked and exemplified by R. W. Bro. S. Rogers, P. D. D. G. M., and I must state here that though R. W. Bro. Rogers deserved praise for the easy, fluent and confidential manner in which he performed his task, his working was sharply and very justly criticized. Brethren were there expecting to see and hear this sublime Degree illustrated according to the Grand Lodge working, and not according to a sort of hybrid ritual, which I venture to say has no existence in any Grand Lodge. With this exception the Lodge of Instruction was a great success. Every Brother seemed to take the liveliest interest in the proceedings, and all went away seemingly satisfied and benefited. On the third evening, the R. W. Bro. the Grand Secretary, J. J. Mason, honored us with his presence, and rendered me invaluable assistance in deciding the almost numberless points and questions that were raised by the brethren. I regret that through some misunderstanding the Most Worshipful the Grand Master was not invited in time to enable him to be present also.

During my term of office many applications have been made to me from Masters of Lodges to put them in possession of the working adopted and authorized by the Grand Lodge. And here let me say that this matter of ritual is one of very great importance, one with which Grand Lodge must shortly

deal in some way. It seems to me the most effectual method of securing a uniformity of working would be to engage the services of a paid Lecturer whose duty it would be to visit and thoroughly instruct the various Lodges requiring it. Grand Lodge, with its ample funds, should have no difficulty in procuring such an officer.

During my term I have only been called upon to investigate two cases of Masonic complaint. One made by True Briton's Lodge, No. 14, Perth, against Clandeboye Lodge, No. 355, of the same place, the other by a member of Eureka Lodge, No. 248, Pakenham, against a member of St. John's Lodge, No 68, Carleton Place, for grossly unmasonic conduct towards the former and a member of his family. I disposed of the first complaint in a manner which I think was just and should be satisfactory to both Lodges. The second complaint is yet under consideration, and, as my term of office is up, I shall relegate it to my successor.

With these exceptions I am happy to state that, so far as I know, peace and good-will towards each other and between the different Lodges reign throughout my borders.

Before closing I beg to return my warmest thanks to the brethren of the District for their uniform kindness and courtesy towards me on all occasions, and specially to R. W. Bro. Wm. Kerr, P. D. D. G. M., and V. W. Bro. Wm. Rea, for their assistance given me in settling the affairs of the late Corinthian Lodge. And as my term is now up, I bid them, as their D. D. G. M., a kindly farewell.

JAS. G. CRANSTON,
D. D. G. M. Ottawa District.

Arnprior, July 11, 1882.

REPORT OF THE BOARD ON WARRANTS.

R. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, President of the Board of General Purposes, presented and read the following

REPORT :

The Board beg leave to report that they have examined the books of the following Lodges, at present working under dispensation, and having made due enquiry into the circumstances stated in their applications, have much pleasure in recommending that Warrants be granted to them, viz:—

1. Cedar Lodge.....Wiarton.
2. Leopold Lodge.....Brigden.
3. Victoria Lodge.....Victoria Road.
4. Moffat LodgeHarrietsville.

The Board have to congratulate Victoria Lodge upon the neat manner in which its minutes have been recorded.

The Board regret that they are unable to recommend the granting of the request of Middlesex Lodge, No. 379, held at Bryanston, to have the names of two members, not appearing upon the original application for a charter, inserted upon the face of the charter, the charter having already been granted in the usual manner.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. D. Spry, seconded by R. W. Bro. Donald Ross, and

RESOLVED,—That the Report of the Board on Warrants be received and adopted.

REPORT OF THE BOARD ON AUDIT AND FINANCE.

R. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, President of the Board of General Purposes, presented and read the following

REPORT :

The Board, through the Committee on Finance, have

audited the books of the Grand Treasurer and Grand Secretary, and certify to their correctness. All moneys received by the Grand Secretary have been paid over to the Grand Treasurer, and the receipt acknowledged by that officer. Vouchers have been produced for all payments made by the Grand Treasurer, as authorized by Grand Lodge.

The Receipts and Expenditures for the year, from the 1st June, 1881, to the 31st May, 1882, have been as follows:

RECEIPTS.

Certificates.....	\$ 2,531 00
Dues.....	8,979 25
Fees.....	1,535 50
Dispensations	192 00
Warrants.....	110 00
Constitutions	431 92
Past Master's Certificates	18 00
Interest on General Fund	2,750 40
Interest on Asylum Fund	360 00
Sundries.....	5 40
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	\$16,918 47
Cash in Bank, 31st May, 1881.....	8,001 90
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	\$24,915 37

EXPENDITURES.

GENERAL EXPENSES—

Grand Sec'y's salary for 1 year...	\$ 1,600 00
Assistant " " " " ...	800 00
Rent of G'd Sec'y's Office 1 year...	175 00
Fuel and light.....	\$ 45 19
Office cleaning.....	42 54
Repairs.....	8 25
Express and Customs charges...	11 46
Travelling expenses.....	80 05
Postages.....	187 74

Stationery and Books.....	\$ 5 48	
" Craftsman ".....	1 50	
Telegrams.....	14 08	
Sundries.....	4 52	
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	\$ 845 71	
Less amount due Grand Sec'y....	145 71	
	<hr/>	\$ 200 00
Allowance to Grand Master.....		500 00
Printing Constitutions.....		418 50
" Certificates		470 51
" Proceedings—on account		160 00
" General.....		190 85
Stationery		29 65
Register, binding, &c.....		28 85
Insurance on regalia.....		14 00
Altering plate, P. M.'s certificate,		15 00
Repairs & paint'g Gr'd Sec. office,		58 00
Engrossing Warrants.....		6 00
Expenses Board of Gen'l Purposes		448 00
" Meeting of Grand Lodge		70 00
Presentation to M. W. Bro. Hen-		
derson		310 62

BENEVOLENCE—

Orders on Benevolent Fund.....	\$8,711 82	
Mrs. Wilson's allowance, 1 year,	300 00	
Miss Wilson's " " "	300 00	
Mrs. Harris' " " "	225 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 9,536 82

ASYLUM FUND—

Shawenegan Lodge, Three Rivers,
in full of interest on account
- subscribed to Asylum Fund.....
Cash in Bank, 31st May, 1882..

The Funds of Grand Lodge on the 31st of May, 1882, were invested as follows:—

Dominion Stock, bearing 5% interest.....	\$55,400 00
Cash in Canadian Bank of Commerce.....	9,799 27
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	\$65,199 27

Which represents the balances at the credit of the following accounts:—

General Fund	\$25,858 80
Asylum Fund balance, 31st May, 1881	\$9,215 55
Add interest collected.....	880 00
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	\$9,575 55
Deduct paid Shawenegan Lodge, Three Rivers.....	94 80
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	\$ 9,480 75
Benevolent Fund Investm't acc't,	27,882 84
Benevolent Fund current account,	2,526 88
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	\$65,199 27

From the above Statement, it will be observed that the funds of Grand Lodge have increased since 31st May, 1881, \$1,797.87.

The Board find the following accounts, and, finding them correct, order payment—

Copp	\$414 99
City	105 50
.....	20 75
.....	12 75
..... account	7 32
..... totals to 31st	
.....	1 58

Grand Secretary, balance of incidentals to 31st	
May, 1882.....	145 71
Grand Secretary, advance for incidentals.....	250 00

At the last session of the Grand Lodge, a petition was received from the Ottawa Masonic Hall Committee, praying that the assets of Corinthian Lodge, No. 59, whose warrant had been surrendered to Grand Lodge, be handed over to them to liquidate some of the debts of the said Lodge. The Board at that time reported that the assets of that Lodge were not in the possession of Grand Lodge, and recommended that the consideration of the petition be deferred. Application is again made. The property having since been placed in the possession of Grand Lodge, the Board recommend that the petition be granted, and that all the property of Corinthian Lodge, No. 59, in the possession of Grand Lodge, with the exception of the warrant, jewels and books, be handed over to the Ottawa Masonic Hall Committee, on account of that Committee having been forced to liquidate some of the debts of the said Lodge.

At the last session of Grand Lodge, the contract for printing was awarded to G. C. Patterson & Co., the Grand Lodge reserving the right to cancel the agreement at any time that the work should be considered unsatisfactory by the Grand Master. Complaint is made that the work has been unsatisfactory. The Board, after enquiry, recommend that, owing to the unsatisfactory manner in which the work has been performed, the Grand Lodge cancel the agreement, and award the contract to J. B. Trayes, of Port Hope, his being the next lowest tender.

Lodges in arrears for more than two years, have, in most cases, paid their indebtedness, and, in this connection, the Board recommend that Thorne Lodge, No. 281, Holland Landing, and Hiram Lodge, No. 342, Wolfe Island, be notified by the Grand Secretary to appear by their proper representatives at

the next Annual Communication of Grand Lodge, to show cause why said Lodges should not be suspended.

The application of Tweed Lodge, No. 239, Tweed, for a remission of arrears of dues, has been considered. Grand Lodge has, of late years, refused to grant requests of this nature. Lodges which were in more straitened circumstances than this one, are, through the faithful and continued efforts of the officers, in a flourishing condition. The Board cannot recommend that the petition be granted, but trusts that within the next two years the Lodge will be able to pay off its indebtedness to Grand Lodge.

R. W. Bro. Long, W. M. of Wilson Lodge, No. 113, Waterford, represents that he mailed a letter containing \$21.00 to the Grand Secretary, in settlement of Lodge dues, as per return 27th Dec., 1881, and that said letter was stolen in the course of transmission. The Board are satisfied that the amount was remitted as stated, and recommend that the sum of \$21.00 be placed to the credit of the Lodge.

The Grand Master issued an order for \$122.91 on the Benevolent Fund of Grand Lodge, to cover a draft of £25 in favor of Humanitus Lodge, Vienna, Austria, to assist Masons who had suffered by the great fire in Vienna. Also, an order in favor of the Worshipful Master of Central Lodge, No. 110, Prescott, to cover the expenses connected with the funeral of our late M. W. Bro. T. D. Harington.

The Board approve of these exceptional grants, which are included in the amount reported as being expended in benevolence.

The Board have had under consideration the notification of the Finance Minister of the Dominion, that the Dominion stock held by Grand Lodge would be redeemed on the 30th September, 1882, and that there was no probability of the

issue of any other Government stock, and recommend that the funds of the Grand Lodge be deposited in the Savings' Branch of such Loan or Building Societies as may be approved of by a Committee composed of the Chairman of the Board of General Purposes, the Chairman of the Committee on Finance, and R. W. Bros. Saunders and Hungerford, until some permanent investment in City, County, or Township debentures, or other investment, can be made; said Committee to have power in such case to withdraw deposits and complete investments.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, seconded by R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray, and

RESOLVED,—That the Report of the Board on Audit and Finance be received.

Subsequently it was moved by R. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, seconded by R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray, and

RESOLVED,—That the Report of the Board on Audit and Finance be adopted.

REPORT OF THE BOARD ON BENEVOLENCE.

R. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, on behalf of the Board, presented and read the following report:—

The Board have had under consideration the several applications for relief, and, after due consideration, recommend that the following appropriations be paid during the ensuing year from the funds of Benevolence, in two half-yearly payments, namely:—

No.	To Whom Granted.	Amount.	Through Whom Payable.
1	Toronto Loc. B. Relief	\$400	Sec-Treas. Toronto L. B. R.
2	Hamilton	200	“ Hamilton “
3	London	100	“ London “
4	Kingston	60	“ Kingston “
5	Peterboro'	50	“ Peterboro' “

No.	To Whom Granted.	Amount.	Through Whom Payable.
6	Windsor Loc. B. Relief	50	Sec-Treas Windsor L.B.R.
7	Chatham	80	Chatham
8	Guelph	80	Guelph
9	St. Thomas	80	St. Thomas
10	Stratford	80	Stratford
11	Goderich	20	Goderich
12	Strathroy	20	Strathroy
13	Galt	20	Galt
14	Woodstock	80	Woodstock
15	Barrie	80	Barrie
16	Widow of J. K.....	80	Toronto
17	" A. G.....	80	"
18	" R. S. D.....	80	"
19	" W. J.....	80	"
20	" J. J.....	80	"
21	" F. N.....	40	"
22	" J. W. C.....	40	"
23	" J. A.....	80	"
24	" J. F.....	40	"
25	" J. P.....	40	"
26	" J. McK.....	40	"
27	" H. B.....	80	"
28	" J. H. F.....	80	"
29	" R. R.....	40	"
30	" J. G.....	80	"
31	Bro. A. T. H.....	50	"
32	Orphans of W. D.....	40	"
33	Widow of A. C.....	40	Hamilton
34	" G. S.....	80	"
35	" P. P.....	20	"
36	" W. W. P.....	80	"
37	" E. J. A.....	80	"
38	" G. S.....	20	"
39	" H. M.....	40	"
40	" T. B. H.....	40	"
41	" O. S.....	20	"

No.	To Whom Granted	Amount.	Through Whom Payable
42	Windsor J. H. W.....	80	Sec-Treas. Hamilton L.B.R.
43	" J. K.....	40	" " "
44	" J. W. F.....	20	" " "
45	" W. W. R.....	30	" " "
46	" P. S.....	30	" " "
47	" W. L.....	30	" " "
48	" T. McC.....	20	" " "
49	" W. A. H.....	20	" " "
50	" T. G. S.....	20	" " "
51	" J. W. H.....	30	" " "
52	" W. J. S. K....	20	" " "
53	" J. S. L.....	40	" " "
54	" J. McK.....	40	" " "
55	" P. H. E.....	30	" " "
56	" A. McM.....	20	" " "
57	" W. M. M.....	40	" " "
58	" C. B.....	40	" " "
59	Wife of J. R. G.....	40	" " "
60	Bro. C. S.....	50	" " "
61	Orphans of R. B.....	30	" " "
62	Widow of T. W.....	20	" London "
63	" J. McD.....	40	" " "
64	" J. Le C.....	20	" " "
65	" E. L.....	30	" " "
66	" A. McI.....	20	" " "
67	" T. L.....	40	" " "
68	" C. B.....	30	" " "
69	" L. H.....	30	" " "
70	" E. W. G.....	20	" " "
71	" D. M.....	20	" " "
72	" G. H.....	20	" " "
73	" A. G.....	40	" " "
74	" G. C.....	40	" " "
75	" C. H.....	40	" " "
76	Orphans of R. B.....	30	" " "
77	" A. C.....	30	" " "

No.	To Whom Granted.	Amount.	Through Whom Payable.
78	Widow of M. J. M.	20	Sec-Treas Ottawa L.B.R.
79	" T. S... ..	40	" " "
80	" J. S.....	30	" " "
81	" J. H... ..	40	" " "
82	" J. M... ..	30	" " "
83	" J. O... ..	40	" " "
84	" J. S. N... ..	20	" " "
85	Brother J. T.....	40	" " "
86	Widow of T. H.....	30	" Kingston "
87	" B. C. D.	30	" " "
88	" J. M. H.	30	" " "
89	" R. C. B.	40	" " "
90	" C. P. W	40	" " "
91	" D. L.....	40	" " "
92	" G. A... ..	20	" " "
93	" W. R.....	30	" " "
94	" J. R. T... ..	20	" " "
95	" A. D. McD ..	20	" " "
96	" J. K. O... ..	30	" " "
97	" J. K. O... ..	20	" " "
98	" W. T.....	30	" " "
99	" W. R.....	30	" " "
100	Brother J. R. C.....	40	" " "
101	" S. B.....	50	" " "
102	Widow of W. McG.....	40	" Peterboro' "
103	" J. H.....	30	" " "
104	" F. W. R.....	40	" " "
105	" T. M.....	40	" " "
106	" E. T.....	40	" " "
107	Brother J. N.....	50	" " "
108	" S. W.....	50	" " "
109	Widow of J. McP.....	30	" Chatham "
110	" R. L.....	30	" " "
111	" D. C.....	30	" " "
112	" G. B.....	30	" Guelph "
113	Brother G. S.....	50	" " "

No.	To Whom Granted.	Amount.	Through Whom Payable.
114	Widow of J. W. S.....	80	Sec-Treas St.Thomas L.B.R
115	Brother G. H. P.....	80	" " "
116	Widow of S. I.....	80	" Stratford "
117	" E. C.....	40	" Goderich "
118	" H. R.....	80	" " "
119	" M. McP.....	40	" " "
120	" W. L.....	80	" Strathroy "
121	" R. W. M.....	20	" " "
122	" J. C. S.....	40	" " "
123	" J. S.....	80	" " "
124	" D. R.....	20	" " "
125	" W. J. B.....	20	" " "
126	" H. H.....	40	" " "
127	" C. C. E.....	80	" Galt "
128	" H. S. W. S..	80	" " "
129	" M. C.....	20	" Woodstock "
130	" W. P.....	80	" " "
131	" R. C. M.....	40	" " "
132	" J. C.....	20	" " "
133	" W. C. D.....	40	" " "
134	Brother E. A. H. F....	80	" " "
135	Orphans of J. K.....	40	" Barrie "
136	Widow of J. F.....	80	W. M. Sussex, 5
137	" J. W.....	80	" " "
138	" F. A. C.....	80	" " "
139	Daughter of T. N.....	80	" Union, 9
140	Widow of J. N.....	40	" True Britons, 14
141	" C. G.....	40	" " "
142	" A. S. St. J...	20	" St. George's, 15
143	" R. L.....	80	" St. Francis, 24
144	" A. A.....	40	" Ontario, 26
145	" J. McG.....	80	" " "
146	Brother E. H.....	50	" Mount Zion, 28
147	" J. R.....	40	" United, 29
148	Widow of T. B. C.....	80	" Composite, 80
149	" J. C.....	20	" " "

To Whom Granted:	Amount.	Through Whom Payable
0 Children of R. F.....	40	W.M. Composite, 80
1 Widow of A. D.....	40	" Jerusalem, 81
2 " D. McC.....	20	" Amity, 82
3 Widow of J. L.....	\$40	W. M. Amity, 82
4 " W. J.....	80	" "
5 " S. B....	40	" "
6 " M. S.....	80	" Thistle, 84
7 " P. S. McK...	80	" King Hiram, 87
8 " W. P.....	20	" Mount Zion, 89
9 Wife of M. S.....	20	" "
0 Widow of F. E. D.....	20	" Madoc, 48
1 " J. W. L.....	40	" Merrickville, 55
2 " J. C.....	40	" St. John's, 74
3 " J. B.....	20	" Albion, 80
4 Brother D. G.....	50	" "
5 Widow of D. McL.....	80	" St. John's, 81
6 " J. B. F.....	80	" St. George's, 88
7 " R. H.....	40	" Manito, 90
8 " A. B.....	20	" Colborne, 91
9 " G. G.....	20	" "
0 Brother L. T.....	50	" "
1 Orphans of T. G. F.....	80	" "
2 Widow of W. J. D.....	80	" Northern Light, 93
3 Brother J. M.....	40	" "
4 Widow of W. H.....	80	" Sharon, 97
5 " J. W. A.....	20	" "
6 " R. F.....	20	" "
7 Brother J. R.....	50	" Tuscan, 99
8 Widow of W. McG.....	20	" Maple Leaf, 103
9 Brother W. F.....	40	" "
0 E. Orphan of S. S.....	40	" St. John's, 104
1 Widow of T. P.....	80	" Burford, 106
2 " J. B. S.....	80	" "
3 Brother P. M.....	40	" Albion, 109
4 " R. P.....	40	" "
5 Widow of J. P.....	80	" Central, 110

No.	To Whom Granted.	Amount.	Through Whom Payable.
186	Widow of W. R.....	30	W.M. Central, 110
187	“ W. A.....	30	“ Wilson, 113
188	“ W. S. P.....	20	“ “
189	“ J. W. C.....	20	“ “
190	“ W. P.....	20	“ “
191	“ T. A.....	30	“ Maple Leaf, 119
192	“ T. R.....	30	“ Doric, 121
193	“ H. R.....	40	“ “
194	“ W. P.....	30	“ “
195	“ R. N.....	40	“ The Belleville, 123
196	“ J. A. P.....	40	“ Cornwall, 125
197	“ H. O’N.....	30	“ Golden Rule, 126
198	“ S. R.....	20	“ Rising Sun, 129
199	“ J. H.....	20	“ “
200	Brother P. H.....	50	“ Malahide, 140
201	Widow of J. A.....	20	“ Tudor, 141
202	“ J. D. R.....	30	“ Prince of Wales, 146
203	“ J. W. H.....	40	“ “
204	“ R. G.....	30	“ “
205	Daughter of J. R. S ...	40	“ “
206	Widow of R. B.....	30	“ Irving, 145
207	Orphans of J. McL....	30	“ Goodwood, 159
208	Widow of J. C.....	40	“ Percy, 161
209	“ R. E.....	30	“ “
210	“ H. R.....	20	“ Merritt, 168
211	“ T. A. DeW...	30	“ Walsingham, 174
212	“ C. R.....	40	“ “
213	“ C. B.....	40	“ Plattsville, 178
214	“ D. R.....	20	“ Filius Viduæ, 128
215	Brother of J. B. G.....	50	“ “
216	Widow of C. S. H.....	30	“ St. Albans, 200
217	“ J. L.....	20	“ “
218	“ G. S.....	30	“ Evergreen, 209
219	Brother D. B.....	50	“ Hawkesbury, 210
220	Widow of R. S.....	30	“ Craig, 214
221	“ J. C. R.....	30	“ Lake, 215

	To Whom Granted.	Amount.	Through Whom Payable.
2	Widow of J. T.....	80	W. M. Harris, 216
3	“ A. N.....	80	“ “
4	“ T. S.....	30	“ Frederick, 217
5	Brother T. H.....	50	“ Credit, 219
6	Widow of A. B. S.....	40	“ Ionic, 229
7	“ P. F. LeR...	30	“ Beaver, 234
8	“ J. R.....	20	“ “
9	Widow of R. G.....	30	W. M. Beaver, 234
0	Brother J. W.....	40	“ Manitoba, 236
1	Widow of J. A.....	20	“ Harriston, 262
2	“ D. J. C.....	30	“ “
3	J. W. S. son of T. S. S	40	“ Forest, 263
4	Widow of M. K. C.....	80	“ Cedar, 270
5	“ F. N... ..	40	“ “
6	“ J. H... ..	80	“ New Hope, 279
7	“ J. C.....	30	“ Mount Sinai, 280
8	“ J. W... ..	80	“ Doric, 289
9	Orphans of H. P. A....	40	“ Hanover, 301
0	Widow of A. B.....	20	“ Minerva, 304
1	Orphans of J. H. M...	40	“ Humber, 305
2	Widow of J. S.....	40	“ Durham, 306
3	“ T. H. E.....	80	“ Arkona, 307
4	“ H. C. H.....	30	“ Clementi, 313
5	“ J. A.....	40	“ Walker, 321
6	“ A. McK.....	40	“ Brock, 354
7	“ C. C.....	30	R. W. Bro. Otto Klotz
8	“ H. L. T.....	30	Bro. Robt. Armour
9	“ T. D. H.....	200	R. W. Bro. J. W. Murton.

The following is an Abstract of the Returns received from the Local Boards of Relief as at 31st May, 1882.

TORONTO.

RECEIPTS.	EXPENDITURE.
Balance on hand, 31st May, 1881.....\$ 18 99	Special Grants from Grand Lodge to 18 pensioners..\$620 00
Direct Grant from Grand Lodge..... 300 00	Local Relief..... 197 00
Special Grant from Grand Lodge to 18 pensioners. 620 00	Transient Relief..... 504 25
Grants from nine Lodges, viz.:—Nos 247, 316, 25, 22, 65, 16, 75, 86, 326.. 622 10	Funeral Expenses..... 49 50
Other Sources..... 97 54	Incidentals and Loans.... 176 25
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	Total Expenditure..\$1547 00
	Balance on hand.... 111 63
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\$1658 63	\$1658 63

HAMILTON.

RECEIPTS.	EXPENDITURE.
Balance on hand 31st May, 1881.....\$149 21	Special Grant from Grand Lodge to 26 pensioners..\$835 00
Direct Grant from Grand Lodge..... 200 00	One Order Cancelled..... 15 00
Special Grant from Grand Lodge to 25 pensioners. 830 00	Local Relief..... 249 10
One Order re-issued..... 20 00	Transient Relief..... 98 31
Grants from two Lodges, viz :—Nos. 6, 240..... 61 29	Funeral Expenses..... 14 00
Other sources..... 85 42	
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	Total Expenditure..\$1211 41
	Balance on hand.... 134 51
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\$1345 92	\$1345 92

LONDON.

RECEIPTS.	EXPENDITURE.
Balance on hand, 31st May, 1881.....\$202 52	Special Grants from Grand Lodge to 16 pensioners..\$470 00
Direct Grant from Grand Lodge..... 180 00	Local Relief..... 188 00
Special Grant from Grand Lodge to 16 pensioners. 490 00	Transient Relief.....
Grants from Lodges, viz.: —No. 209..... 25 00	Funeral Expenses..... 64 75
Other sources..... 3 75	Incidentals 18 40
	One Order Returned..... 20 00
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	Total Expenditure....\$784 15
	Balance on hand..... 117 15
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\$901 27	\$901 72

OTTAWA.

RECEIPTS.	EXPENDITURE.
Balance on hand, 31st	Special Grants from Grand
May, 1881.....\$152 47	Lodge to 8 pensioners..\$265 00
Direct Grant from Grand	Local Relief..... 45 00
Lodge.... 150 00	Transient Relief..... 58 50
Special Grants from Grand	Funeral Expenses..... 12 50
Lodge to 8 pensioners.. 280 00	Incidentals..... 6 00
Grants from Lodges, viz.:	One Order Returned..... 15 00
Other sources..... 10 00	
	Total Expenditure....\$897 00
	Balance on hand..... 195 47
\$592 47	\$592 47

KINGSTON.

RECEIPTS.	EXPENDITURE.
Balance on hand, 31st	Special Grants from Grand
May, 1881.....\$124 73	Lodge to 13 pensioners..\$460 00
Direct Grant from Grand	Local Relief..... .. 222 40
Lodge..... 60 00	Transient Relief..... 49 00
Special Grant from Grand	Funeral Expenses..... 90 26
Lodge to 13 pensioners. 460 00	Incidentals 50
Grants from three Lodges,	
viz.:—Nos. 3, 92, 253.. 183 88	Total Expenditure....\$822 52
Grants from one Chapter 15 00	Balance on hand..... 21 09
Other sources.....	
\$843 61	\$843 61

PETERBOROUGH.

RECEIPTS.	EXPENDITURE.
Balance on hand, 31st	Special Grants from Grand
May, 1881.....\$ 57 24	Lodge to 7 pensioners...\$270 00
Direct Grant from Grand	Local Relief..... 89 55
Lodge..... 50 00	Transient Relief..... 5 00
Special Grants from Grand	Funeral Expenses.....
Lodge to 7 pensioners .. 270 00	Incidentals.....
Grants from two Lodges,	
viz.:—Nos. 101, 155.... 40 00	Total Expenditure....\$374 55
Other sources.....	Balance on hand..... 42 69
\$417 24	\$417 24

WINDSOR.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
Balance on hand, 31st May, 1881.....\$		Local Relief.....\$	
Direct Grant from Grand Lodge.....	50 00	Transient Relief.....	19 75
Special Grants from Grand Lodge.....		Funeral Expenses.....	55 75
Grants from one Lodge, viz.:—No. 47.....	50 00	Incidentals.....	
Other sources.....			
	<hr/>	Total Expenditure....\$	75 50
	\$100 00	Balance on hand.....	24 50
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			\$100 00

CHATHAM.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
Balance on hand, 31st May, 1881.....\$	28 00	Special Grants from Grand Lodge to 2 pensioners..\$	60 00
Direct Grant from Grand Lodge.....	30 00	Local Relief.....	140 00
Special Grants from Grand Lodge.....		Transient Relief.....	24 85
Grant to 2 pensioners....	60 00	Funeral Expenses.....	40 00
Grants from Lodge No. 267.....	40 00	Incidentals	
Other sources.....	120 00		
	<hr/>	Total Expenditure....\$	264 85
	\$273 00	Balance on hand... .	8 15
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			\$273 00

GUELPH.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
Balance on hand, 31st May, 1881.....\$	28 00	Local Relief.....\$	78 00
Direct Grant from Grand Lodge.....	30 00	Transient Relief.....	15 40
Grants from 3 Lodges, viz.:—Nos. 180, 258, 366..	30 00	Funeral Expenses.....	45 00
Grants from 1 Chapter, viz.:—No. 40.....	5 00	Incidentals.....	
Other sources.....	50 50		
	<hr/>	Total Expenditure....\$	138 40
	\$143 50	Balance on hand.....	5 10
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			\$143 50

ST. THOMAS.

RECEIPTS.	EXPENDITURE.
Balance on hand, 31st May, 1881.....\$ 20 83	Special Grants from Grand Lodge to 1 pensioner....\$ 30 00
Direct Grant from Grand Lodge. 30 00	Local Relief..... 5 00
Special Grants from Grand Lodge to 1 pensioner... 30 00	Transient Relief..... 26 50
Grants from one Lodge, viz.:—No. 349..... 10 00	Incidentals..... 11 00
Other sources.....	
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\$ 90 83	\$ 90 83

STRATFORD.

RECEIPTS.	EXPENDITURE.
Balance on hand, 31st May, 1881.....\$ 35 53	Special Grant from Grand Lodge—paid 1 pensioner \$30 00
Direct Grant from Grand Lodge..... 30 00	Local Relief..... 3 00
Special Grant from Grand Lodge to 1 pensioner.. 30 00	Transient Relief.....
Grant from one Lodge, viz :—332..... 10 20	Funeral Expenses..... 40 00
Other sources.....	Incidentals..... 5 06
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\$105 73	Total Expenditure....\$ 78 06
	Balance on hand.... 27 67
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	\$105 73

GODERICH.

RECEIPTS.	EXPENDITURE.
Balance on hand, 31st May, 1881.....\$ 14 15	Special Grants from Grand Lodge—paid 2 pension- ers.....\$ 70 00
Direct Grant from Grand Lodge..... 20 00	Funeral Expenses..... 47 40
Special Grant from Grand Lodge to 2 pensioners. 70 00	
Grant from two Lodges, viz.:—Nos. 83, 112..... 28 00	
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\$132 15	Total Expenditure... 117 40
	Balance on hand..... 14 75
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	\$132 15

STRATHBOY.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
Balance on hand, 31st May, 1881.....	\$ 33 59	Special Grants from Grand Lodge—paid 4 pension- ers.....	\$130 00
Direct Grant from Grand Lodge.....	20 00	Local Relief.....	261 00
Special Grant from Grand Lodge to 4 pensioners..	130 00	Transient Relief.....	5 50
Grants from two Lodges, viz.:—Nos. 83, 866.....	235 50	Funeral Expenses.....	17 40
		Incidentals.....	
		Total Expenditure....	413 90
		Balance on hand.....	5 19
	<hr/> \$419 09		<hr/> \$419 09

GALT.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
Balance on hand, 31st May, 1881.....	\$ 26 40	Special Grants from Grand Lodge—paid 2 pension- ers.....	\$ 30 00
Direct Grant from Grand Lodge	20 00	Local Relief.....	18 00
Special Grants from Grand Lodge to 1 pensioner...	30 00	Transient Relief.....	
Grants from Lodges.....		Total Expenditure....	48 00
Other sources		Balance on hand.....	28 40
	<hr/> \$ 76 40		<hr/> \$ 76 40

SYNOPSIS COMPILED BY R. W. BRO. KLOTZ.

FROM THE LIST OF APPLICANTS FOR 1879.

Parties for 1879.	Number.	Average Annual Grants for 1875 to 1878.	Equalized Annual Grants for 1879.
Brethren.....	49	\$1,760	\$2,070
Widows.....	188	6,960	6,020
Orphans.....	32	525	510
Other Relatives.....	1	20	20
Local Boards of Relief.....	11	1,310	1,310
Total.....	281	<hr/> \$10,575	<hr/> \$9,930

FROM THE LIST OF APPLICANTS FOR 1882.

Parties for 1882.	Number,	Annual Grant for 1879, 1880 and 1881.	Equalised Annual Grants for 1882.
Brethren.....	44	\$1,790	\$1,880
Widows.....	216	6,890	6,410
Orphans.....	27	460	430
Local Boards of Relief.....	16	1,220	1,220
Total.. ..	303	\$10,360	\$9,940

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF PARTIES WHO RECEIVED AID DURING THE YEARS 1879, 1880 AND 1881.

	Parties on List July, 1879.	Added.	Struck off.	Parties on List July, 1882.
Brethren.....	49	28	33	44
Widows.....	188	92	64	216
Orphans.....	32	12	17	27
Other Relatives.....	1		1	
Local Boards of Relief..	11	5		16
Total.. ..	281	137	115	303

CAUSES WHY THE PARTIES WERE STRUCK OFF.

	Death.	Marriage.	Left Country.	Not in further need.	Not applied for aid for 5 years.	Total.
Brethren.. . . .	17		1		15	33
Widows.....	4	7	2	7	44	64
Orphans.....					17	17
Other Relatives.				1		1
	21	7	3	8	76	115

REPORT OF THE CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE ON BENEVOLENCE.

The undersigned, Chairman of the Committee on Benevolence, hereby begs to report:—

1. A list of the brethren, widows and orphans, and of the Local Boards of Relief, that appeared as applicants for aid from the Funds of Benevolence of Grand Lodge, for 1879, showing the average grants made during 1875, 1876, 1877 and 1878, and the equalization made for the year 1879.

2. Lists of brethren, widows and orphans, and of Local Boards of Relief, added to the list of applicants for aid during the sessions of Grand Lodge, 9th September, 1879, 14th July, 1880, and 18th July, 1881, and the sums granted.

3. Lists of brethren, widows and orphans struck off the lists as applicants for aid, and the cause why so struck off.

4. A list of brethren, widows and orphans, and of Local Boards of Relief, that now appear as applicants for aid for 1882, showing the grants made during 1879, 1880 and 1881, and the equalization made for the year 1882.

5. A synopsis of the whole, whereby is shown the number of the different parties who received aid since 1875, the annual average paid out to them, the aggregate of the equalization; as also the aggregate of the parties added to the list since 1879, and struck off therefrom since 1879, together with a classification of the causes why the same were struck off; the greater number of whom being those on whose behalf no application for aid has been made for three years and upwards, and are therefore considered as not requiring further aid.

The plan adopted by the Committee on Benevolence, of a revision, from time to time, of the various grants upon the list, has proved to be a necessary proceeding, inasmuch as frequent changes in the pecuniary condition of the grantees render such a revision as paramount duty devolving upon that Committee.

In view of the annual revenue of Grand Lodge, and the large increase of applications for relief from year to year, the Committee has not felt warranted to increase the scale of grants adopted in 1879, but has adhered to the same in the equalization for 1882.

In order to explain a possible misunderstanding as regards

the sums set down for the equalized annual grants, it may be stated that these are the sums to which parties as reported in the books of the Grand Lodge would be entitled to receive in case they made application for a renewal of grant; but the fact is that, in no one year, all those parties renew their application, and every year new applications are added, hence it follows that the actual total sum granted by Grand Lodge is a different sum, and up to the present a larger sum, than the aggregate of the equalization sum.

Otto Klotz,
Chairman.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, seconded by R. W. Bro. Otto Klotz, and

RESOLVED,—That the Report of the Board on Benevolence be received and adopted.

REPORT OF THE BOARD ON THE CONDITION OF MASONRY.

R. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, on behalf of the Board, presented and read the following

REPORT :

The Board of General Purposes having received the Annual Reports from the District Deputy Grand Masters of the St. Clair, London, Wilson, Huron, Wellington, Hamilton, Niagara, Toronto, Georgian, Ontario, Prince Edward, St. Lawrence and Ottawa Districts, and having carefully considered the same, beg to submit the following report on the Condition of Masonry:—

1. Your Board find with great satisfaction that, as Grand Lodge increases in years and prosperity, so the condition of Masonry within the jurisdiction increases in usefulness and in good-fellowship with each other.

2. Your Board observe with pleasure that the several Lodges for which Warrants were granted at last Annual Communication, have been regularly constituted, and their rooms, in many cases, elegantly furnished, properly consecrated and dedicated.

3. Your Board observe with pleasure and pride the dedication of the "Masonic Temple" of the city of London, Canada, which is a grand monument erected to Masonry by the liberality of the London brethren.

4. Several dispensations for establishing new Lodges have been granted, and in one case only, refused, this by the D. D. G. M. of the Wellington District, in which we found that the locality was not large enough to support a Lodge. Your Board would suggest to all District officers great care in recommending and establishing new Lodges in small localities.

5. Your Board observe with very great satisfaction that the M. W. the Grand Master has been permitted to visit so many of the Districts and Lodges throughout the jurisdiction during the past year. His presence amongst the brethren, "to judge with candor, and to admonish with friendship, and reprehend with mercy," gives them encouragement and assistance in carrying out the tenets of the Order.

6. Your Board find that only the D. D. G. Masters of London, Huron and Ottawa held Lodges of Instruction during the past year. This is to be regretted, as such meetings tend greatly to harmonize the working of the ritual, and better acquaintance and good-fellowship among the individual members throughout the Districts. It should be considered the duty of each D. D. G. M. to hold such District meetings, at least once in each year, which, if carried out, would render official visits to private Lodges unnecessary, and greatly improve the condition of Masonry.

7. Your Board also observe with pleasure that dispensa-

tions have been issued by the Most Worshipful the Grand Master for brethren to appear clothed as Masons, and to participate in laying with Masonic ceremonies the foundation stones of churches and other public edifices throughout the jurisdiction, many of which ceremonies were personally presided over by the Grand Master, with credit to himself and honor to the Craft; other dispensations to attend divine service and festivals were granted. This laudable practice, as your Board in former years have recommended, cannot be too generally carried out. Its influence on the public and benefit to the members add to the social standing of the Craft.

8. Your Board deeply regret that it has pleased the Great Architect of the Universe to remove from this sublunary abode a number of brethren during the past Masonic year, and the most prominent among them, our late lamented and much loved Thomas Douglas Harington, Past Grand Master of this Grand Lodge, and one of our "Fathers in Masonry" in Canada; also, Right Worshipful Brothers Chauncey Bennett, P. D. D. G. M., Wilson District; J. M. Meakins, P. D. D. G. M., Hamilton District; R. W. Bro. A. S. Kirkpatrick, P. D. D. G. M., St. Lawrence District, and R. W. Bro. C. W. Paterson, Past Grand Chaplain, and would recommend that a memorial page be set apart in the proceedings of Grand Lodge to each one of the distinguished brethren.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, seconded by R. W. Bro. P. J. Brown, and

RESOLVED,—That the Report of the Board on the Condition of Masonry be received.

Subsequently, it was moved by R. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, seconded by R. W. Bro. P. J. Brown, and

RESOLVED,—That the Report of the Board on the Condition of Masonry be adopted.

REPORT OF THE BOARD ON JURISPRUDENCE,

R. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, on behalf of the Board, presented and read the following

REPORT:

The Board beg leave to present the following report on Jurisprudence:—

(1.) Bro. George R. Turner applies both personally and through his Lodge, Oriental Lodge, No. 181, Port Burwell, for a new certificate under the name of George Turner Redsill, it being alleged that such is his true name. Oriental Lodge apparently being satisfied of the truth of the allegation, the Board recommend that the precedents formerly laid down by Grand Lodge in such cases be followed in this case also, (see page 125 of Proceedings of Grand Lodge, 1881), and that an endorsement be made by the Grand Secretary on Bro. Turner's original certificate, sufficient to identify him as the person mentioned in the body of it, and that an entry be made in the books of Grand Lodge, and his own Lodge, showing such a change.

(2.) In the case of St. John's Lodge, 209a, and Bro. John Ferguson, St. John's Lodge, 209a, applied to the Grand Master for a ruling as to the position of Bro. Ferguson, he having applied to his Lodge for a Dimit, being in arrears to the amount of one dollar. He was afterwards suspended for two years dues, which had accrued after he had applied for his Dimit. Pending a decision by the Grand Master a compromise was effected, and the Brother's name, as a suspended member, was temporarily taken from the Report to the Grand Secretary, upon his consenting to pay the sum of one dollar, the amount of his arrears when he applied to withdraw from the Lodge. The Board concur in the ruling of the Grand Master, as follows, to wit: "That he is of opinion that as the Lodge had voluntarily consented to Bro. Ferguson's name being removed from the suspended list on payment of one-

dollar, the payment of that sum by Bro. Ferguson will entitle him to sever his connection with the Lodge, and to become an unaffiliated Mason in good standing." The Board would further say that where there is a conflict between the Constitution and By-laws, the Constitution must rule.

(8.) A letter from Bro. Wm. Peacock, asking to have his position defined, he being a Past Grand Senior Deacon of the Provincial Grand Lodge of North Munster, under the Grand Lodge of Ireland.

There is no provision in our Constitution allowing an officer of a sister Grand Lodge similar rank in this Grand Lodge; and in this case Bro. Peacock was merely an officer of a *Provincial* Grand Lodge, and would take no rank in the Grand Lodge of Ireland, but only in the province of which he had been elected or appointed an officer.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. James Moffat, seconded by R. W. Bro. Henry Macpherson, and

RESOLVED,—That the Report of the Board on Jurisprudence be received.

Subsequently, it was moved by R. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, seconded by R. W. Bro. Henry Macpherson, and

RESOLVED,—That the Report of the Board on Jurisprudence be adopted.

REPORT OF THE BOARD ON GRIEVANCES AND APPEALS.

R. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, on behalf of the Board, presented and read the following

REPORT :

The Board of General Purposes beg leave to report on the several matters submitted to them in the nature of Grievances and Appeals as follows:

They have received and examined the documents and evidence in the following cases and have heard the parties interested in each case in which they were present.

From the evidence and papers submitted in these cases the Board have arrived at the following conclusions :—

<p>PEMBROKE LODGE, No. 128, vs. BRO. R. F. READ.</p>	}	<p>In June, 1878, Bro. R. F. Read was sus- pended by Pembroke Lodge, No. 128, for a violation of his O. B. as a M. M. and his expulsion is asked for by the Lodge.</p>
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The delay appears to have been occasioned by the neglect of the Secretary and the removal of the Master from the jurisdiction.

After considering the evidence and papers submitted, the Board recommend that the Grand Secretary be instructed to summon Bro. R. F. Read to show cause at the next meeting of the Grand Lodge why he should not be expelled from the Craft.

<p>PEMBROKE LODGE, No. 128. vs. BRO. THOS. A. FINDLAY.</p>	}	<p>In July, 1880, Bro. Thomas A. Findlay was suspended by Pembroke Lodge, No. 128, for embezzlement of the funds of the Lodge while Secretary, and his expulsion is asked for by the Lodge.</p>
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After considering the evidence and papers submitted the Board recommend that the Grand Secretary be instructed to summon Bro. Thomas A. Findlay to attend the next annual communication of the Grand Lodge, and show cause why he should not be expelled from the Craft.

In the matter of
W. BRO. J. BRASFORD
and
WELLAND LODGE, No. 86.
} Last year this mat-
} ter was referred to the
} D. D. G. M. of Nia-
gara District for investigation. (See Proceedings 1881, p.
126.)

From his report it appears that the point to be settled is whether remission of dues is equivalent to payment under a by-law which provides that "any brother suspended for non-payment of dues shall not be permitted to rejoin his Lodge until all such back dues shall be paid."

The Board are of opinion that the remission of dues, when regularly done, is equivalent to payment.

With this in view, it is recommended that the D. D. G. M. of Niagara District be requested to make further enquiry into the matter of the remission of dues by Welland Lodge, in order to prevent the injustice which may arise by the remission of dues of brethren who are well able to pay.

MERRILL LODGE, No. 844,
vs.
NILESTOWN LODGE, No. 845.
} Merrill Lodge, No.
} 844, Dorchester Sta-
} tion, complains that
Nilestown Lodge, No. 845, Nilestown, initiated one John Richardson, residing within the jurisdiction of Merrill Lodge, without consulting the latter Lodge. The information submitted being insufficient, the Board recommend that the matter be referred to the D. D. G. M. of the London District, for investigation, and that he be authorized to take such action thereon as the circumstances of the case may warrant.

BRO. JAMES SMITH,
vs.
ST. GEORGE'S LODGE, No. 42.
} In this matter Bro.
} James Smith appeals
} against the action and
decision of St. George's Lodge, No. 42, London, in dismissing

a charge preferred by him against W. Bro. William Fleming, of the same Lodge. The papers indicate that the proceedings of the Lodge were quite regular. The Board accordingly recommend that the appeal be dismissed, as they see no reason to interfere with the discretionary power of the Lodge in refusing to proceed with the charge.

QUINTE LODGE, No. 241.

vs.

BRO. ALEXANDER BOULTON.

In November, 1881,
Bro. Alexander Boul-
ton was suspended by

Quinte Lodge, No. 241, Shannonville, for un-Masonic conduct, with a recommendation to the Grand Lodge for expulsion. After fully considering the case, the Board confirm the suspension, but do not comply with the request for expulsion.

CLIFFORD LODGE, No. 315.

vs.

HARRISTON LODGE, No. 262.

This sets forth to
be a complaint and
appeal against the de-

cision of the D. D. G. M. of the Wellington District, in the matter of the initiation of one Robert Scott, by Harriston Lodge, No. 262, Clifford Lodge claiming that the candidate lives within their jurisdiction. The papers before the Board show that this is, in fact, an appeal against the decision of the Grand Master. Harriston Lodge at first believing that the candidate resided within the jurisdiction of Clifford Lodge, applied for a dispensation from the Grand Master, with the approval and recommendation of the D. D. G. M., asking permission to initiate the applicant. On the material submitted the Grand Master finds as follows: "On a careful perusal of the evidence produced, I am of the opinion the greater portion of the land upon which the candidate resides, as also the dwelling, being within the jurisdiction of the Harriston Lodge, I can see no necessity for a dispensation, as the Lodge can go on and initiate." The decision of the Grand Master was arrived at on the 30th November last, and a copy was ordered to be sent to each Lodge. The appeal of Clifford

Lodge is dated June, 1882. On the facts set forth the Board recommend that the appeal be dismissed.

BRO. JESSE ELDRIDGE,

vs.

BRO. JAMES SHIRTON.

Bro. Jesse Eldridge,
of Walsingham Lodge,
174, Port Rowan,

charged Bro. James Shirton, of Palmer Lodge, 872, Victoria, with grossly immoral conduct and a violation of his obligation as a Mason.

Bro. Shirton was tried by his Lodge on four distinct charges, and was acquitted. From this verdict of acquittal the complainant appealed to the D. D. G. M., who, after hearing the parties and taking some further evidence, reversed the verdict of the Lodge, found Bro. Shirton guilty, suspended him, and recommended him for expulsion.

It is recommended that the case be referred to the M. W. the Grand Master, with the request that he will appoint the President of the Board of General Purposes to fully investigate it, on the evidence already given, and any further evidence that may be procurable, and to report all the evidence, with his opinion thereon, at the next meeting of the Board.

In the matter of
BRO. R. H. McCANN
and
KERR LODGE, No. 280.

In June, 1878, Bro.
McCann was tried for,
and convicted by the

Lodge of unmasonic conduct, and indefinitely suspended. He now appeals against the action of the Lodge; and after he had made his appeal he applied to the Lodge to reinstate him, expressing in his application his regret for having in any way given offence. He has forwarded a certificate, signed by a Presbyterian clergyman, several Justices of the Peace, two Reeves and some others, bearing testimony to his standing as a respectable man, of undoubted sobriety and general good character. The Lodge have refused to recom-

mend him for restoration. The Board are of opinion that the Lodge at the time they suspended him were justified in doing so, and therefore recommend that the appeal be dismissed; but would also recommend that a copy of the certificate of character above referred to be sent to the Lodge, with a request to give the application for restoration a careful reconsideration,

In the matter of
BRO. JACOB HOLMES
and
ARKONA LODGE, No. 807.

In June, 1881, the
appellant after trial
was convicted by the

Lodge of unmasonic conduct, in that he lived an immoral life, and suspended. He appealed to Grand Lodge at its last meeting against the action of the Lodge, and the case stood over to this meeting to obtain full information on the subject.

The Board has now received and examined the evidence, and statement of the appellant, and are of opinion that the charge was clearly proved and therefore recommend that the Appeal be dismissed.

BRO. S. MARTEL DAVIES,
against
W. BRO. JOHN MOORE, W. M. St.
James' Lodge, No. 74.

Bro. Davies complains, in substance,
(1.) That W. Bro.
John Moore, at the

regular meeting of the Lodge, held on the 5th of December last, allowed the ballot to pass for two brethren who were applicants for affiliation, without proper notice having been given. (2.) That the complainant was at that time duly elected W. M. of the Lodge, but that the W. M. declared the vote a tie.

The facts are, shortly, as follows:—At a meeting of the Lodge, held on the 7th of November last, a P. M. presiding in the absence of the W. M., the ballot was passed for Bros. Burr and Dunn, applicants for affiliation, and declared in

their favor. In the notice for the required meeting of 5th December, notice was given that the ballot would be taken for the same brethren in these words, viz: "To ballot for Bros. Burr and Dunn, candidates for affiliation." On the 5th of December, the complainant was present and acted in his office of Junior Warden. At this meeting the W. M. declared the election of Bros. Burr and Dunn, on 7th November, void, because no notice had been given of the ballot. The ballot was afterwards passed on the application of said brethren for affiliation, and declared in their favor. No objection, so far as appears, was made by the complainant or any other brother against the said brethren being then ballotted for.

After these brethren had thus been declared members of the Lodge, the election of officers was proceeded with. The ballot passed seven times for W. M., but resulted each time in a tie, being eleven votes each for the complainant and Bro. Dunn. The W. M. declared that there was no election of W. M., and applied for and obtained a dispensation from the M. W. the Grand Master to hold an election for W. M. on 27th December; and, if elected, to then instal him. At this meeting, W. Bro. Moore was re-elected W. M. Bro. Davies contends that Bros. Burr and Dunn were illegally elected members of the Lodge on the 7th of November and the 5th of December, respectively; that, not being members, they could not sit and vote on the affairs of the Lodge, and that, not being members, neither could hold the office of Worshipful Master; that, by virtue of the Junior Warden (the complainant) receiving eleven votes in a body of twenty members seven times in succession, for the office of W. M., he is the W. M. elect, and that the W. M. improperly declared on the 5th of December that there was no election. The complainant concludes by asking that he may be declared the W. M. elect.

As the W. M. declared the election of Bros. Burr and

The W. M. erred in allowing the ballot to pass on 5th Dec., for their election as members, inasmuch as the notice of meeting did not, as it should have done, specify the occupation, place of abode, the name and number of the Lodge they then respectively belonged to, or in which they respectively had been initiated, and recommend that he be reprimanded for having done so. But as the Brethren were elected and became *de facto* members at the meeting of 5th Dec., and no objection was then made by the complainant or any other brother, the Board are of opinion that the action of the Lodge in electing them should not be disturbed.

Under all the circumstances the Board recommend that the complaint be dismissed.

MASONIC TRIALS.

The Board recommend that a committee should be appoint-

ed by the Grand Lodge, to revise the Rules for the regulation of Masonic Trials, and that part of the Constitution relating to that subject, with a view to the removal of some inconsistencies and the general improvement thereof.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, seconded by R. W. Bro. Henry Robertson, and

RESOLVED,—That the Report of the Board on Grievances and Appeals, be received.

Subsequently, it was moved by R. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, seconded by R. W. Bro. Henry Robertson, and

RESOLVED,—That the Report of the Board on Grievances and Appeals be adopted.

It was also moved by R. W. Bro. R. T. Walkem, seconded by R. W. Bro. Henry Macpherson, and

RESOLVED,—That the Committee above referred to should consist of R. W. Bros. Henry Robertson, John Creasor, L. H. Henderson, J. E. Harding, Otto Klotz, and R. T. Walkem.

GRAND LODGE CALLED OFF.

The Grand Lodge was called from labor to refreshment, until 8 o'clock, p. m.

Wednesday, 12th July, A. D. 1882.

The Grand Lodge resumed labor at 8.40 p. m,

PRESENT :

M. W. Bro. James Moffat, Grand Master.

On the Throne.

Grand Officers, Members and Representatives.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Communications were received and read from R. W. Bro. S. B. Harman, regretting his inability to be present.

From W. Bro. W. G. Paxton, Representative of this Grand Lodge near the Grand Lodge of Mississippi, giving a synopsis of the business transacted at the last annual communication of that Grand Lodge.

From the Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of British Columbia, covering a resolution of regret at the death of the late M. W. Bro. T. D. Harrington, P. G. M.

CREDENTIALS OF GRAND REPRESENTATIVES.

The following credentials of representatives of sister Grand Lodges were presented and accepted by the Grand Lodge, and the representatives saluted with the customary Grand Honors, viz.:—

By M. W. Bro. James Moffat for the G. L. of Pennsylvania.

By R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray for the G. L. of Prince Edward Island.

By R. W. Bro. George S. Birrell for the G. L. of Louisiana.

By R. W. Bro. George J. Waugh for the G. L. of Nova Scotia.

By R. W. Bro. Robert Mackay for the G. L. of Quebec.

By V. W. Bro. Robert Lewis for the G. L. of Rhode Island.

By W. Bro. L. G. Jarvis for the G. L. of Ohio.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON TESTIMONIAL.

The following report was presented and read by R. W. Bro. Daniel Spry.

REPORT :

The Committee appointed at the last Annual Communication of Grand Lodge "to obtain a suitable testimonial to be presented to M. W. Bro. James A. Henderson, Past Grand Master, as a recognition of the eminent services rendered to the Craft during his term of office" respectfully report that in accordance with the instructions of Grand Lodge a suitable testimonial was procured, and on the 31st March last your committee proceeded to the City of Kingston, accompanied by the M. W. the Grand Master, Colonel James Moffat, who kindly favored us with his presence on the occasion, when the presentation was made in the presence of a large gathering of the Craft, including the members of the Ancient St. John's Lodge, No. 8; Cataraque Lodge, No. 92, and Minden Lodge, No. 258. The presentation was accompanied with the following address which was suitably engrossed and illuminated upon parchment :

Grand Lodge of Canada, A. F. & A. M., to M. W. Bro. Jas. A. Henderson, Q. C., D. C. L., Past Grand Master.

DEAR SIR AND MOST WORSHIPFUL BROTHER,—Your self-sacrifice and devotion to the interests of Freemasonry for a long series of years, the never-wearying consideration and courtesy which have characterized your every act, and the vigorous and just administration of the affairs of the Craft during the past two years as its ruler, have materially contributed to moulding, perfecting and establishing on a lasting foundation its institution in the Dominion.

Like your illustrious predecessors, you have, as an earnest laborer, brought to the Masonic structure the result of your daily toil, specimens of your skill, which may well serve as models to future workers in our ancient Craft.

In your private life, in your relations with the members of the Order, and in your conduct of the various important offices conferred upon you by your brethren, you have illustrated in very full measure those virtues and qualifications which our Ancient Charges point out as the requisites of a Grand Master.

The Craft at large gratefully acknowledges the deep obligations you have laid upon it, and the Grand Lodge, representing the Craft, have instructed this Committee to mark in some suitable and substantial manner its high appreciation of your distinguished labors. In discharging the agreeable task thus imposed, the Committee request the acceptance of the accompanying testimonial, which, it is hoped, may in after years pleasantly remind you of the active part you have taken in disseminating the principles of Masonry, as well as of the good wishes of your brethren.

May the G. A. O. T. U. spare you for long years to be with us, and confer upon you and your family peace, plenty, good health and happiness.

Yours fraternally,

COMMITTEE. { DANIEL SPRY, Chairman,
ROBERT HENDRY, jr.,
DONALD ROSS.

Kingston, 31st March, 1882.

M. W. Bro. Henderson made the following reply :—

R. W. SIR AND BROTHER,—The kind sentiments contained in the address certainly awaken in my breast the warmest emotions, and I can but feebly express my gratitude for this among the several marks of esteem and fraternal regard which I have received from the Ancient Craft.

I fully appreciate the handsome manner in which the

Grand Lodge of Canada has expressed its approbation of my endeavors to discharge my duties while occupying that high position in which I was placed by the suffrages of my brethren and fellows. My services have certainly been judged by those generous sentiments that at all times animate the Order. Believe me, had it not been for the cordial assistance and disinterested support which I received on every occasion from the officers and members of Grand Lodge I should not have been able to leave the Grand East bearing with me, as you have stated, the appreciation of that large and influential body.

I feel more than mere words can convey, the great compliment paid to me by the attendance of the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, on the presentation of the testimonial. His zeal, tempered with impartiality and firmness, in administering the duties of his high station, shows that among the ranks of Canadian Freemasons can men be chosen who are well able to rule and guide the destinies of the Order with credit and distinction.

Allusion is made to my being an earnest laborer at the Masonic structure. My labors have been to me a pleasure, and I have ever felt that if we could not bring the world into a conformity with our principles, we could individually diffuse them by a strict observance of the Divine precept of doing unto others as we would they should do unto us. I have always considered that the interests of the Order are best advanced by preserving that good feeling and harmony which should ever exist among all Masons, whether in or out of the Lodge.

Permit me to say that, however greatly I value the testimonial, yet I far, very far, more highly appreciate the expressions of regard which your address conveys. The special relation in which I stood to the Grand Lodge has ceased, but the brotherly love connected with it, and the gratitude arising from it, will always remain.

I view this splendid gift, not so much as a gift expressing the value of my services, as an outcome of those warm and generous feelings which never fail to engender affection. I consider it a token and a testimony of the high estimation which Masons ever put on the smallest services, and I shall hand it down to those who come after me with a pride and a satisfaction impossible for me to express.

To you, and to the Right Worshipful Brethren members of the committee, my warmest acknowledgments are due, and I pray you to accept them.

Your Committee has pleasure in stating that the hearty welcome extended to the M. W. Grand Master and his illustrious predecessor, by the brethren of Kingston made their duties peculiarly gratifying and pleasant.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

DANIEL SPRY, Chairman.

London, 12th July, 1882.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, seconded by R. W. Bro. Donald Ross, and

RESOLVED,—That the Report of the Committee on the Presentation of the Testimonial to M. W. Bro. James A. Henderson, P. G. M., be received and adopted.

REPORT OF THE BOARD ON PROXIES.

R. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, on behalf of the Board, presented and read the following

REPORT :

The Board of General Purposes, to whom was referred the report of the Committee on Proxies at the last Annual Communication of Grand Lodge, beg to report, that, in the

opinion, the evils connected with the use of proxies could be obviated by insisting upon a strict observance by the Masters of Lodges of the provisions of the Constitution respecting proxies. This can best be done by requiring the District Deputy Grand Master to procure from each Lodge in his District, which appears to have given a proxy, a certified copy of the minutes of the meeting at which such proxy was granted, or, when convenient, personally to examine the books of the Lodge, to ascertain whether the proxy was properly granted. In the event of his finding that there has been any abuse or irregularity, he should be required to proceed against the offenders and secure their punishment, and he should be required to report that this duty of inspection has been duly performed by him. A circular, embodying these suggestions, if adopted, should be sent by the Grand Secretary, with the proxy, to the Master of each Lodge, with directions to read the same in open Lodge.

The Report of the Committee, referred to the Board, could hardly be adopted with safety, for, under its provisions, a delegate might be disfranchised by the neglect of the Secretary or the miscarriage of a letter.

The Board think that the suggestion already made, if adopted, will cure the abuses complained of.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, seconded by R. W. Bro. R. T. Walkem,

That the Report of the Board on Proxies be received and adopted.

It was moved, in amendment, by R. W. Bro. J. E. Harding, seconded by Bro. the Rev. David Armstrong,

That the Report of the Board on Proxies be amended by striking out the clause requiring the D. D. G. M. to enquire whether the Proxy has been properly granted by the Lodge.

The amendment was put to Grand Lodge, and declared lost.

The original resolution was then put to Grand Lodge, and was adopted.

REPORT OF THE BOARD ON THE GRAND MASTER'S ADDRESS.

R. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, on behalf of the Board, presented and read the following

REPORT :

The Board of General Purposes have the honor to report upon the address of the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, as follows:—

They concur heartily in the suggestion that a respectful address should be presented by Grand Lodge to Her Majesty the Queen, congratulating her on her recent providential escape from assassination. Her Majesty is connected with the brethren by many strong ties, and is entitled to their particular love and respect as Masons. They recommend that a committee be appointed to prepare the address and forward it to its destination.

The Board are happy to learn of the continued progress and prosperity of the Craft in this Province during the past year. They regard this progress as an evidence that our principles are, happily, being understood and appreciated, and that our work is being well and faithfully done by the subordinate, as well as the superior officers of the Order.

The Board concur in the feelings and views to which the Most Worshipful the Grand Master has given expression in reference to the death of the late illustrious President of the neighboring Republic. They desire to express their earnest sympathy with their American brethren on that event, and the hope that no similar calamity may again cast a shadow of mourning over the land.

The Board observe with deep sorrow the list of brethren

who have been called away by the gavel of death during the past year. The summons has come to many who stood high in the Craft, and who have done much to advance the interests of Masonry. It will be the duty of Grand Lodge to see that provision is made for those bereaved ones, who are entitled to our sympathy and support.

The Grand Master's remarks on jurisprudence, the condition of Masonry, and certain grievances, have occupied the attention of the several committees to which those subjects are entrusted, and do not require further comment at our hands.

The Board desire to express their appreciation of the zeal and activity displayed by the Grand Master in the discharge of his duties, and their belief that his visits to the several Lodges will have a beneficial and stimulating effect.

The appointment of Foreign Representatives, contained in the report are recommended for approval.

The building which has lately been erected by the Masons of London, does credit not only to themselves, but the Craft generally, and the Board wish the promoters of the undertaking every success in the completion of their great work.

The Board approve of the action of the Most Worshipful the Grand Master in directing the payment, out of the funds of Grand Lodge, of the funeral expenses of our late M. W. Bro. Harington, and in contributing to the fund for the relief of distressed brethren in Vienna.

Other subjects of importance, referred to by the Grand Master, are worthy of serious consideration by Grand Lodge. The address is at once comprehensive and minute, and bears witness to the energy and industry of its Most Worshipful author.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, seconded by R. W. Bro. R. T. Walkem, and

RESOLVED,—That the Report of the Board on the Address of the M. W. the Grand Master, be received and adopted.

The M. W. the Grand Master then named as the Committee to draft the address to the Queen, the following brethren, viz.: M. W. Bro. J. A. Henderson, and R. W. Bros. R. T. Walkem and Otto Klotz.

CONSTITUTION AMENDED.

In accordance with notice given at last Annual Communication, it was moved by R. W. Bro. B. Saunders, seconded by V. W. Bro. W. C. Wilkinson, and

RESOLVED,—That Clause 5, "of the Grand Lodge" in the Book of Constitution, be amended by inserting after the words "Deputy Grand Master," the words, "By nominations, to be handed to the Grand Secretary, and if more than one Brother be nominated, then by "ballot of the Grand Lodge."

NEXT ANNUAL COMMUNICATION.

The following place was named for holding the next Annual Communication of Grand Lodge, namely:

By R. W. Bro. R. B. Hungerford, the City of Ottawa.

Subsequently, it was **RESOLVED** that the next Annual Communication of Grand Lodge be held at the City of Ottawa.

The Grand Lodge was called from labor to refreshment, to meet again on Thursday, the 18th July, at 10 o'clock, forenoon.

THURSDAY, 18th July, A. D. 1882.

The Grand Lodge resumed labor at 10.30 a. m.

PRESENT:

M. W. Bro. James Moffat, Grand Master,
On the Throne.

Grand Officers, Members and Representatives.

MOTIONS TO AMEND THE CONSTITUTION.

In accordance with the notice given at the last Annual Communication, it was moved by Bro. J. A. Clarke, seconded by V. W. Bro. John Satchell,

That "Clause 24," of Private Lodges, in the Book of Constitution, be amended by striking out the words, "and of the regular Lodge dues for," and inserting instead the words, "and of the further sum of one dollar for each year, or part of a year during."

In amendment, it was moved by M. W. Bro. J. K. Kerr, seconded by W. Bro. J. Parker Thomas,

That Clause 24, "of Private Lodges," in the Book of Constitution, be amended by adding thereto the following words, "Provided always that the Lodges shall have power in all cases to remit the whole or any part of the arrears, as well as of the Lodge dues for the period so suspended, after notice of such motion has been given to the members of the Lodge."

A point of order having been raised upon the amendment, the M. W. the Grand Master ruled that the amendment was not in order.

The mover of the original resolution then withdrew his motion, and the matter dropped.

In accordance with notice given at the last Annual Communication, it was moved by R. W. Bro. R. T. Walkem, seconded by R. W. Bro. G. H. F. Dartnell, and

RESOLVED,—That Clause 3, "of the Grand Lodge," in the Book of Constitution, be amended by providing for the appointment of twelve scrutineers, instead of three, such scrutineers to act in sections of threes, to whom shall be allotted separate parcels of voting papers.

TRANSFER TO BENEVOLENT FUND.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. Otto Klotz, seconded by R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray, and

RESOLVED,—That the sum of \$7,000.00 be taken from the general funds of Grand Lodge, and placed to the credit of the Fund of Benevolence, Current Account.

LOTTERIES CONDEMNED.

I was moved by R. W. Bro. R. McKnight, seconded by W. Bro. R. Edgar,

That whereas the practice of resorting to lotteries for the purpose of raising funds for benevolent and other purposes has been attempted in Canada, and whereas lotteries have been declared illegal and demoralizing in their tendencies, therefore it is

RESOLVED,—That we the Members of the Grand Lodge of Canada, in Grand Lodge assembled, view with disapprobation any attempt on the part of Masons, as such, to raise funds by lottery for Masonic purposes.

The resolution was put to Grand Lodge and declared carried.

SPECIAL BENEVOLENT GRANTS.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. J. E. Harding, seconded by R. W. Bro. J. Cascaden, and

RESOLVED,—That all special grants for Benevolence already passed and to be passed by this Grand Lodge, be referred to the Committee on Benevolence, to report thereon, with a view to their reduction or abolition.

CREDENTIALS OF REPRESENTATIVES.

R. W. Bro R. Hendry, Jr., on behalf of the Committee on the Credentials of Representatives, presented and read the following

REPORT :

The Committee on Credentials of Representatives and Proxies, beg to report that at the present Annual Communication of Grand Lodge there are 850 Lodges on the Grand Lodge Register, represented as follows : 206 by their duly

qualified officers, 79 by proxies and 65 Lodges are unrepresented.

The number of Lodges represented by their duly qualified officers exceeds last year by 2; the number represented by proxies exceed last year by 19; and the number unrepresented is 17 less than last year.

The total number of votes entitled to be cast is 1073.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

R. HENDRY, JR., Chairman.
J. G. BURNS,
R. B. HUNGERFORD.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. R. Hendry, Jr., seconded by R. W. Bro. R. B. Hungerford, and

RESOLVED—That the Supplementary Report of the Committee on Credentials of Representatives and Proxies, be received and adopted.

VOTE OF THANKS TO COMMITTEE.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. Otto Klotz, seconded by R. W. Bro. Donald Ross, and

RESOLVED,—That the cordial thanks of the Grand Lodge are due; and are hereby tendered to the Committee on Credentials of Representatives and Proxies, for the satisfactory manner in which they have performed their arduous duties.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

The M. W. the Grand Master appointed the following brethren scrutineers of the ballot for Grand Officers, and elective members of the Board of General Purposes, viz:—R. W. Bros. R. T. Walkem, Hugh Murray, L. H. Henderson, J. Cascaden, H. A. Mackay, Robert Mackay, George J. Waugh, Donald Ross, John Walsh, and V. W. Bros. W. S. Lee, E. E. Kitchen, and Robert Lewis.

The scrutineers having reported, the following brethren were declared duly elected as office-bearers for the ensuing term, viz :—

M. W. Bro. Daniel Spry,	Barrie,	Grand Master.
B. W. Bro. Hugh Murray,	Hamilton,	Deputy Grand Master.
" " J. Ross Robertson,	Toronto,	Grand Senior Warden.
" " W. T. Bray,	Wingham,	" Junior Warden.
" " Rev. Evans Davis,	London,	" Chaplain.
" " E. Mitchell,	Hamilton,	" Treasurer.
" " W. C. Wilkinson,	Toronto,	" Registrar.
" " J. J. Mason,	Hamilton,	" Secretary.

and by an open vote of Grand Lodge,

Bro. John Sweetman,	Ottawa,	Grand Tyler.
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DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTERS.

The following brethren were nominated by the representatives of Lodges as District Deputy Grand Masters for their respective Districts, and were approved by the M. W. the Grand Master, viz :—

R. W. Bro. N. J. Lindsay,	Watford,	St. Clair	District.
" " L. G. Jarvis,	London,	London	"
" " Wm. Kennedy,	Vittoria,	Wilson	"
" " Richard Radcliffe,	Goderich,	Huron	"
" " John Scoon,	Guelph,	Wellington	"
" " Thomas Clark,	Dundas,	Hamilton	"
" " J. Murison Dunn,	Welland,	Niagara	"
" " John Fisher	Eglinton,	Toronto	"
" " John Creasor,	Owen Sound,	Georgian	"
" " E. H. D. Hall,	Peterborough,	Ontario	"
" " W. L. Hamilton,	Belleville,	Prince Edward	"
" " J. H. Kenning,	Prescott,	St. Lawrence	"
" " E. B. Bntterworth,	Ottawa,	Ottawa	"

BOARD OF GENERAL PURPOSES.

The scrutineers having reported, the following brethren were declared duly elected members of the Board of General Purposes for the ensuing term, viz :—

R. W. Bro. Otto Klotz	Preston.
" " Henry Robertson	Collingwood.
" " Thomas Sargant	Toronto.
" " Allan McLean	Kingston.
" " J. B. Traves	Port Hope.
and for one year,	
" " David McLellan	Hamilton.

Subsequently, the Grand Master was pleased to announce the following appointments as members of the Board of General Purposes for the ensuing term, viz :—

R. W. Bro. R. B. Hungerford	London.
" " John McLaren	Orangeville.
" " R. Hendry, Jr	Kingston.
" " J. E. Harding	St. Marys
" " J. B. Nixon	Toronto.
and for one year,	
" " W. G. Reid	Hamilton.

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS.

M. W. Bro. James Moffat, assisted by M. W. Bros. James Seymour and James A. Henderson, proceeded with the installation and investiture of the newly elected officers, who were proclaimed and saluted with the customary Masonic Honors.

APPOINTED OFFICERS.

At a subsequent date the M. W. the Grand Master, was pleased to notify the Grand Secretary of the following appointments to office for the ensuing year, viz :—

V. W. Bro Thos. Beattie,	London,	Grand Sr. Deacon.
" " J. N. Carter,	Picton,	" Jr. Deacon.
" " Levi Yale,	St. Catharines,	" Supt of Works.
" " W. K. Street,	London,	" Dir. of Cer.
" " H. Bickford,	Dundas,	Ass't Grand Sec.
" " Alex. Patterson,	Toronto,	" " Dir. of Cer.
" " James Lockie,	Berlin,	Grand Sword Bearer.
" " E. T. Malone,	Toronto,	" Organist.

V. W. Bro.	Chas. W. Brown,	Yorkville,	Ass't Grand Organist.
"	" Chas. S. Sanders,	Barrie,	Grand Pursuivant.
"	" R. McKnight,	Owen Sound,	Grand Steward.
"	" Samuel White,	Peterboro'	"
"	" W. H. Sparling,	Chatham,	"
"	" C. Benedict,	Zurich,	"
"	" J. B. Bishop,	Hamilton,	"
"	" T. L. M. Tipton,	Dunnville,	"
"	" Edwin Plant,	Ottawa,	"
"	" W. Coldclough,	Mount Forest,	"
"	" L. Becker,	Waterford,	"
"	" M. Day,	Thamesford,	"
"	" James Holmes,	Chesterville,	"
"	" John Hull,	Lakefield,	"

ELECTION OF HONORARY MEMBER.

It was moved by M. W. Bro. Seymour seconded by M. W. Bro. Moffat, and

RESOLVED,—That R. W. Bro. J. A. Lockwood, Past District Deputy Grand Master in the Grand Lodge A. F. & A. M. of New York, be elected an Honorary member of the Grand Lodge of Canada, with the rank of Past Grand Senior Warden.

R. W. Bro. Lockwood was then introduced, and having been received with the customary Masonic honors, addressed Grand Lodge, expressing the great gratification he felt in having this high honor conferred upon him.

VOTE OF THANKS.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray, seconded by M. W. Bro. James Seymour, and •

RESOLVED,—That the cordial thanks of the Grand Lodge are due, and are hereby heartily tendered to the Committee of Management of the London Lodges, for the ample and satisfactory arrangements made for the holding of the present Annual Communication.

RE-NUMBERING OF LODGES.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. W. L. Hamilton, seconded by R. W. W. Bro. R. T. Walkem,

That the question of the re-numbering of the Lodges be referred to the Board of General Purposes to report thereon at the next Annual Communication of Grand Lodge.

The resolution was put to Grand Lodge and declared *lost*.

TESTIMONIAL TO M. W. BRO. MOFFAT.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. W. C. Wilkinson, seconded by R. W. Bro. J. Cascaden, and

RESOLVED,—That a Committee be appointed by the M. W. the Grand Master, to select and present to M. W. Bro. James Moffat, Past Grand Master, a suitable testimonial, as a token of the respect and esteem in which he is held by the members of Grand Lodge.

Whereupon the M. W. the Grand Master was pleased to appoint on the aforesaid Committee, R. W. Bros. Hugh Murray, R. B. Hungerford, W. C. Wilkinson and J. Cascaden.

NOTICES OF MOTION FOR NEXT ANNUAL COMMUNICATION.

1. By M. W. Bro. J. K. Kerr—That Clause 24, “of Private Lodges,” in the Book of Constitution, be amended by adding thereto the following words, “Provided always that the Lodges shall have power in all cases to remit the whole or any part of the arrears, as well as the Lodge dues, for the period he was so suspended; after notice of such motion has been given to the members of the Lodge.”

2. By R. W. Bro. DeWitt H. Martyn—That Clause 87, “of Private Lodges,” in the Book of Constitution, be amended by adding thereto the following words, “The Master of every Lodge shall also cause to be forwarded to the D. D. G. M. of his District, immediately after the election of officers, a certified list of the officers so elected.”

3. By R. W. Bro. R. T. Walkem—That the Constitution be amended in accordance with the report of the Special Committee respecting Masonic trials.

4. By R. W. Bro. John Creasor—That the representatives of the several Masonic Districts shall meet at nine o'clock on the morning of the second day of the Annual Communication of Grand Lodge, for the election of D. D. G. M's.

5. By R. W. Bro. L. H. Henderson—That Clause 1, "of District Deputy Grand Master," in the Book of Constitution, be amended by inserting next after the words "of the Lodges," the words "together with the Past Masters," and by inserting next after the words "of such District," the word "present."

GRAND LODGE CLOSED.

The business of Grand Lodge being ended, it was closed at 9.35 o'clock p. m., in *Temple Form*.



J. J. Mason
Grand Secretary.

APPENDICES.

GRAND SECRETARY'S STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS.

Statement of moneys received by the Grand Secretary,
from 1st June, A. D. 1881, to 31st May, A. D. 1882.

NAMES OF LODGES.	\$ cts	NAMES OF LODGES.	\$ cts
2 Niagara.....	29 25	48 Madoc.....	88 00
3 The Ancient St. John's	77 50	50 Consecon.....	56 00
5 Sussex.....	81 75	52 Dalhousie.....	32 75
6 Barton.....	66 75	54 Vaughan.....	50 50
7 Union.....	38 50	55 Merrickville.....	30 00
9 Union.....	184 50	56 Victoria.....	72 75
10 Norfolk.....	55 00	57 Harmony.....	21 00
11 Moira.....	73 50	58 Doric.....	32 50
14 True Britons.....	26 75	61 Acacia.....	108 00
15 St. George's.....	56 00	62 St. Andrew's.....	30 00
16 St. Andrew's.....	52 00	63 St. John's.....	31 50
17 St. John's.....	54 25	64 Kilwinning.....	79 75
18 Prince Edward.....	174 50	65 Rehoboam.....	179 00
19 St. George's.....	3 00	66 Durham.....	32 25
20 St. John's.....	60 00	68 St. John's.....	68 50
22 King Solomon's.....	116 75	69 Stirling.....	66 00
23 Richmond.....	82 50	72 Alma.....	49 25
24 St. Francis.....	32 25	73 St. James'.....	24 25
25 Ionic.....	78 50	74 St. James'.....	19 00
26 Ontario.....	31 50	75 St. John's.....	56 50
27 Strict Observance.....	126 25	76 Oxford.....	70 25
28 Mount Zion.....	30 00	77 Faithful Brethren...	23 75
29 United.....	22 00	78 King Hiram.....	0 00
30 Composite.....	56 00	79 Simcoe.....	68 75
31 Jerusalem.....	41 75	80 Albion.....	17 50
32 Amity.....	81 75	81 St. John's.....	34 00
33 Goderich.....	28 50	82 St. John's.....	39 00
34 Thistle.....	51 25	83 Beaver.....	74 00
35 St. John's.....	9 75	84 Clinton.....	90 75
36 Welland.....	16 25	85 Rising Sun.....	28 75
37 King Hiram.....	61 00	86 Wilson.....	78 00
38 Trent.....	75 00	87 Markham Union.....	15 00
39 Mount Zion.....	47 25	88 St. George's.....	24 75
40 St. John's.....	153 25	89 King Hiram.....	13 00
41 St. George's.....	33 50	90 Manito.....	57 25
42 St. George's.....	83 50	91 Colborne.....	30 00
43 King Solomon's.....	79 75	92 Cataragui.....	85 25
44 St. Thomas.....	74 50	93 Northern Light.....	67 00
45 Brant.....	47 50	94 St. Mark's.....	39 00
46 Wellington.....	40 25	95 Ridout.....	0 00
47 Great Western.....	82 00	96 Corinthian.....	59 25

GRAND SECRETARY'S ACCOUNT.—[Continued.]

NAMES OF LODGES.	\$ cts	NAMES OF LODGES.	\$ cts
97 Sharon	50 50	155 Peterboro'	70 50
98 True Blue	76 25	156 York	43 00
99 Tuscan	39 00	157 Simpson	40 25
100 Valley	53 25	158 Alexandra	25 75
101 Corinthian	41 75	159 Goodwood	55 75
103 Maple Leaf	55 75	161 Percy	35 00
104 St. John's	23 75	162 Forest	15 75
105 St. Mark's	47 25	164 Star in the East	23 75
106 Burford	30 00	165 Burlington	33 50
107 St. Paul's	27 75	166 Wentworth	28 50
108 Blenheim	37 25	168 Merritt	49 25
109 Albion	26 00	169 Macnab	10 00
110 Central	88 50	170 Britannia	32 50
112 Maitland	38 25	171 Prince of Wales	39 75
113 Wilson	22 75	172 Ayr	34 00
114 Hope	19 00	174 Walsingham	48 00
115 Ivy	25 00	176 Spartan	19 00
116 Cassia	20 00	177 The Builders	47 25
118 Union	4 00	178 Plattsville	34 00
119 Maple Leaf	31 75	179 Bothwell	32 00
120 Warren	43 00	180 Speed	59 25
121 Doric	14 75	181 Oriental	20 25
122 Renfrew	29 50	183 Prince Albert	11 00
123 The Belleville	92 25	184 Old Light	29 00
125 Cornwall	54 75	185 Enniskillen	17 50
126 Golden Rule	12 25	186 Plantagenet	84 25
127 Franck	35 50	189 Filius Vidue	13 50
128 Pembroke	81 25	190 Belmont	29 75
129 The Rising Sun	44 00	192 Orillia	73 00
131 St. Lawrence	12 75	193 Scotland	14 50
133 Lebanon Forest	62 75	194 Petrolia	40 50
135 St. Clair	43 50	195 The Tuscan	42 75
136 Richardson	9 00	196 Madawaska	65 00
137 Pythagoras	37 50	197 Saugeen	47 75
139 Lebanon	36 25	198 White Oak	43 00
140 Malahide	35 50	200 St. Albans	44 50
141 Tudor	50 25	201 Leeds	126 00
142 Excelsior	35 25	203 Irvine	34 50
143 Friendly Brothers ...	33 00	205 New Dominion	19 50
144 Tecumseh	57 25	207 Lancaster	60 00
145 J. B. Hall	47 00	209a St. John's	100 75
146 Prince of Wales	39 25	209 Evergreen	23 75
147 Mississippi	49 00	210 Hawkesbury	5 50
148 Civil Service	34 00	212 Elysian	17 52
149 Erie	34 25	213 Dominion	5 75
150 Hastings	22 75	214 Craig	34 75
151 The Grand River	37 50	215 Lake	16 00
153 Burns	42 25	216 Harris	00 00
154 Irving	36 25	217 Frederick	16 50

GRAND SECRETARY'S ACCOUNT.—[Continued.]

NAMES OF LODGES.	\$ cts	NAMES OF LODGES.	\$ cts
218 Stevenson.....	134 50	276 Teeswater.....	7 75
219 Credit.....	56 00	277 Seymour.....	27 00
220 Zeredatha.....	50 00	278 Mystic.....	22 25
221 Mountain.....	50 75	279 New Hope.....	13 00
222 Marmora.....	10 50	280 Mount Sinai.....	00 00
223 Norwood.....	16 00	281 Thorne.....	00 00
224 Zurich.....	19 25	282 Lorne.....	00 00
225 Bernard.....	59 50	283 Eureka.....	19 75
226 Prince Arthur.....	28 50	284 St. John's.....	82 50
229 Ionic.....	78 25	285 Seven Star.....	18 25
230 Kerr.....	23 00	286 Wingham.....	84 50
231 Lodge of Fidelity....	21 00	287 Shuniah.....	42 00
232 Cameron.....	16 00	289 Doric.....	49 00
233 Doric.....	9 75	290 Leamington.....	44 00
234 Beaver.....	50 50	291 Dufferin.....	28 50
235 Aldworth.....	22 50	292 Robertson.....	10 75
236 Manitoba.....	81 50	293 The Royal Sol. Mother	00 00
237 Vienna.....	16 75	294 Moore.....	27 25
238 Havelock.....	38 50	295 Conestogo.....	82 25
239 Tweed.....	2 00	296 Temple.....	38 25
241 Quinte.....	31 00	297 Preston.....	16 00
242 Macoy.....	26 50	299 Victoria.....	28 00
243 St George.....	42 50	300 Mount Olivet.....	79 75
245 Tecumseh.....	50 00	301 Hanover.....	80 00
247 Ashlar.....	57 00	302 St. David's.....	28 00
248 Eureka.....	28 50	303 Blyth.....	00 00
249 Caledonian.....	1 00	304 Minerva.....	24 00
250 Thistle.....	51 50	305 Humber.....	24 00
253 Minden.....	61 00	306 Durham.....	33 25
254 Clifton.....	18 25	307 Arkona.....	49 50
255 Sydenham.....	31 75	308 Grafton.....	19 50
256 Farran's Point.....	27 75	309 Morning Star.....	38 50
257 Galt.....	84 00	310 Enterprise.....	18 90
258 Guelph.....	51 00	311 Blackwood.....	27 25
259 Springfield.....	73 50	312 Pnyx.....	108 00
260 Washington.....	20 25	313 Clementi.....	30 00
261 Oak Branch.....	19 50	314 Blair.....	46 25
262 Harriston.....	44 00	315 Clifford.....	00 00
263 Forest.....	35 50	316 Doric.....	31 50
264 Chaudiere.....	35 50	317 The Hiram.....	15 50
265 Patterson.....	40 00	318 Wilmot.....	20 50
266 Northern Light.....	36 75	319 Hiram.....	38 50
267 Parthenon.....	00 00	320 Chesterville.....	31 00
268 Verulam.....	24 25	321 Walker.....	26 50
269 Brougham Union.....	32 50	322 North Star.....	77 75
270 Cedar.....	81 00	323 Alvinston.....	00 00
271 Wellington.....	23 25	324 Temple.....	137 25
272 Seymour.....	16 25	325 Orono.....	25 50
274 Kent.....	61 25	326 Zetland.....	78 75

GRAND SECRETARY'S ACCOUNT.—[Continued.]

NAMES OF LODGES.	\$ cts	NAMES OF LODGES.	\$ cts
327 The Hammond.....	7 50	366 Euclid.....	10 00
328 Ionic.....	56 75	367 St. George.....	82 75
229 King Solomon.....	51 50	368 Salem.....	49 25
330 Corinthian.....	26 25	369 Mimico.....	20 50
331 Fordwich.....	14 50	370 Harmony.....	31 25
332 Stratford.....	33 00	371 Prince of Wales.....	30 25
333 Prince Arthur.....	15 00	372 Palmer.....	12 75
334 Prince Arthur.....	32 50	373 Copestone.....	40 25
335 Langton.....	26 75	374 Keene.....	9 25
336 Highgate.....	33 75	375 Lorne.....	13 75
337 Myrtle.....	32 75	376 Unity.....	19 50
338 Dufferin.....	00 00	377 Lorne.....	24 25
339 Orient.....	6 00	378 King Solomon's.....	61 50
340 St. John's.....	52 00	379 Middlesex.....	41 25
341 Bruce.....	33 00	380 Union.....	70 00
342 Hiram.....	4 00	381 Kinistino.....	29 50
343 Georgina.....	25 00	382 Doric.....	53 50
344 Merrill.....	45 50	383 Henderson.....	16 50
345 Nilestown.....	27 50	384 Alpha.....	59 25
346 Occident.....	00 00	385 Spry.....	28 00
347 Mercer.....	32 75	386 McColl.....	18 00
348 Georgina.....	37 00	387 Lansdowne.....	30 00
349 Elgin.....	34 00	388 Henderson.....	42 25
350 Port Elgin.....	25 50	389 Crystal Fountain.....	30 00
351 St. Mary's.....	30 25	390 Florence.....	27 50
352 Granite.....	26 25	391 Howard.....	44 25
353 Excelsior.....	00 00	392 Huron.....	34 50
354 Brock.....	29 00	393 Forest.....	20 25
355 Clandeboye.....	14 00	394 King Solomon.....	35 25
356 River Park.....	26 50	395 Parvaim.....	67 50
357 Waterdown.....	22 75	U D. Cedar.....	2 00
358 Delaware Valley.....	34 00	U.D. Leopold.....	25 00
359 Vittoria.....	32 75	U.D. Victoria.....	20 00
360 Muskoka.....	34 25	U.D. Moffat.....	20 00
361 Waverley.....	33 75	Interest Ben. Fund.....	2750 40
362 Maple Leaf.....	31 00	“ Asylum Fund.....	360 00
363 Frontenac.....	24 75	Sundries.....	25 90
364 Dufferin.....	22 75		
365 North Star.....	00 00		
		Total.....	16,913 47

DISTRIBUTION OF MONEYS RECEIVED.

Certificates.....	\$ 2,531 00
Dues.....	8,979 25
Fees.....	1,535 50
Dispensations.....	192 00
Warrants.....	110 00
Constitutions.....	431 92
Past Masters' Certificates.....	18 00
Interest on General Fund.....	2,750 40
Interest on Asylum Fund.....	360 00
Sundries.....	5 40
Total.....	<u>\$16,913 47</u>

GRAND SECRETARY'S STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS.

Statement of payments made by the Grand Secretary to the
Grand Treasurer, from the 1st June, A. D. 1881,
to the 31st May, A. D. 1882.

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1882.	\$ cts.	1881.	\$ cts.
May 31—To Receipts...	16,913 47	July 4—By Gr. Treas.	2,000 00
		11— " "	2,000 00
		Oct. 8— " "	1,800 00
		8— " "	1,205 00
		8— " "	180 00
		Dec. 31— " "	340 40
		1882.	
		Jan. 9— " "	3,000 00
		Feb 16— " "	2,000 00
		Apr. 8— " "	1,500 00
		8— " "	1,205 00
		8— " "	180 00
		May 18— " "	1,000 00
		31— " "	503 07
	<u>\$16,913 47</u>		<u>\$16,913 47</u>

1881.		1881.	9	cts.
To amount brought forward.....			9,044	00
July 23—To pd. J. B. Traves, altering plate				
" 23— " P. M. Certificate.....			15	00
" 23— " Grand Secretary, advance for			200	00
" 23— " incidentals				
" 23— " Wm. Bruce, engrossing war-			6	00
" 23— " rants.....				
" 23— " Copp, Clark & Co., printing			470	51
" 23— " Certificates, &c.....				
" 23— " R. Haight, Register, Binding,			28	85
" 23— " &c.....				
" 23— " Times Printing Co., printing			41	50
" 23— " during Grand Lodge....				
" 23— " Expenses of meeting of Grand			70	00
Oct. 1— " Lodge				
" 1— " Grand Secretary, salary to			400	00
" 1— " date				
" 1— " Grand Secretary Assistant's			200	00
" 1— " salary to date.....				
" 1— " Mrs. Harris, quarterly grant			56	25
" 1— " Mrs. Wilson, quarterly grant			76	00
" 1— " Miss Wilson, quarterly grant			76	00
" 1— " Masonic Hall Association,				
" 1— " rent to date.....			43	75
" 1— " John Clayton, repairs Grand				
" 1— " Secretary's Office.....			58	00
To amount carried forward.....			10,778	86
By amount brought forward.....			40,548	58

GENERAL FUND.—Continued.

		1891.	\$ cts.
1891.	To amount brought forward.....	10,778 86	\$ cts.
Nov. 28—	To pd. G. C. Patterson & Co., printing Proceedings.....	160 00	
1892.			
Jan'y 2—	" Grand Master, half-yearly grant for expenses.....	250 00	
" 2—	" Grand Secretary, salary to date.....	400 00	
" 2—	" Grand Secretary, Assistant's salary to date.....	200 00	
" 2—	" Mrs. Harris, quarterly grant.....	58 25	
" 2—	" Mrs. Wilson, quarterly grant.....	75 00	
" 2—	" Miss Wilson, quarterly grant.....	75 00	
" 2—	" Masonic Hall Association, rent to date.....	43 75	
April 1—	" Grand Secretary's salary to date.....	400 00	
" 1—	" Grand Secretary's Assistant's salary to date.....	200 00	
" 1—	" Mrs. Harris, quarterly grant.....	58 25	
" 1—	" Mrs. Wilson, quarterly grant.....	75 00	
" 1—	" Miss Wilson, quarterly grant.....	75 00	
" 1—	" Masonic Hall Association, rent to date.....	43 75	
" 19—	" J. G. Owen, engrossing address to M. W. Bro. Henderson.....	15 00	
To amount carried forward.....		\$12,903 86	
			By amount brought forward.....\$40,548 53

By amount carried forward.....\$40,548 53

1882.		1883.	
	To amount brought forward.....	19,908 86	£ o/s.
Apr. 25—	To pd. McKelvey & Birch, for articles presented to M. W. Bro. Henderson..	296 62	
May 18—	" G. C. Patterson & Co., printing Constitutions.....	110 00	
" 31—	" Transfer to Benevolent Fund capital acct., 10 per cent. of receipts.....	1,380 80	
" 31—	" Balance as per Balance sheet	25,858 80	
		<u>40,548 58</u>	
	By amount brought forward....	40,548 58	£ o/s.
		<u>81,097 16</u>	

E. MITCHELL, Grand Treasurer.

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Current Account.

Dr. The Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of Canada in account with E Mitchell, Grand Treasurer. Cr.

1881.		\$	cts.
June 14—To pd.	Mrs. Brand.....	20	00
" 20—	" Local Board Chatham.....	15	00
July 24—	" " London, Orphans Booth.....	20	00
July 24—To pd.	Mrs. Leister.....	20	00
" 24—	" Orphans Richd. Craib.....	20	00
" 24—	" Mrs Snellgrove.....	15	00
" 24—	" Local Board, Hamilton.....	100	00
" 25—	" Mrs. Allen.....	20	00
" 25—	" Board Relief, London.....	90	00
" 25—	" Mrs. Scott.....	20	00
" 25—	" Mrs. Patterson.....	15	00
" 25—	" Mrs. Spickett.....	10	00
" 25—	" Bro. C. W. Smith.....	25	00
" 25—	" Mrs. Chichester.....	20	00
" 25—	" Mrs. Salmoni.....	10	00
" 25—	" Board Relief, Ottawa.....	75	00
" 25—	" Mrs. Smith.....	15	00
" 25—	" Mrs. Hortop.....	15	00
" 25—	" Mrs. Dunlop.....	20	00
" 25—	" Bro. Wm. Pollock.....	25	00
" 29—	" Mrs. Turner.....	15	00
" 29—	" Mrs. Russell.....	10	00
" 29—	" Mrs. Mathieson.....	20	00
" 29—	" Mrs. McLellan.....	15	00
To amount carried forward.....		\$	680 00

1881.		\$	cts.
June 1—	By Balance as per Balance Sheet, 31st May, 1881.....	1,488	80
" 28—	" Interest on Bank Account to date.....	160	05
July 13—	" Transfer from General Fund by vote of Grand Lodge.....	7,000	00
Oct. 14—	" Grand Secretary, interest on Dominion Stock.....	1,205	00
Dec. 31—	" Interest on Bank Account to date.....	180	85
1882.			
Apr'11—	" Grand Secretary, interest on Dominion Stock.....	1,205	00

By amount carried forward.....\$11,288 70

1881.	1881.	£	cts.	By amount brought forward.....	£	cts.
July 29—To pd.	By amount brought forward.....	630	00			
" 29—	Mrs. D. G. Hill.....	20	00			
" 29—	Bro. Newbold.....	25	00			
" 29—	Bro. Gamack.....	90	00			
" 29—	Mrs. McIntyre.....	10	00			
" 29—	Mrs. Quackenbush.....	15	00			
" 29—	Mrs. Hunter.....	15	00			
" 29—	Mrs. Miller.....	20	00			
" 29—	Mrs. Bridgeford.....	20	00			
" 30—	Bro. Hodgkinson.....	25	00			
" 30—	Mrs. Clegg.....	15	00			
" 30—	Bro. Tuttle.....	25	00			
" 30—	Mrs. Francis.....	10	00			
" 30—	Mrs. Russell.....	10	00			
" 30—	Mrs. W. W. Pringle.....	20	00			
" 30—	Bro. Munro.....	20	00			
" 30—	Mrs. Leith.....	15	00			
" 30—	Mrs. Ross.....	20	00			
" 30—	Mrs. McGibony.....	15	00			
" 30—	Mrs. McDowell.....	20	00			
" 30—	Bro. Tripp.....	25	00			
" 30—	Mrs. Allen.....	10	00			
Aug. 1—	Mrs. Perley.....	15	00			
" 1—	Mrs. Andrews.....	15	00			
" 1—	Mrs. Davey.....	20	00			
" 1—	Mrs. Bowman.....	15	00			
" 1—	Orphans Jas. H. Mowat	20	00			
	To amount carried forward.....	\$1,090	00			
	By amount brought forward.....	\$11,288	70			

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

1881.		1881.	
		\$	cts.
Aug. 1—	To amount brought forward.....	1,090	00
" 1—	pd. Mrs. Westcott.....	15	00
" 1—	" Mrs. Hessel.....	15	00
" 1—	" Mrs. Griffith.....	10	00
" 1—	" Mrs. Ferguson.....	10	00
" 2—	" Bro. Donovan.....	25	00
" 2—	" Orphans T. G. Fowler.....	15	00
" 2—	" Mrs. Carroll.....	10	00
" 2—	" Mrs. Case.....	10	00
" 2—	" Miss Nelson.....	15	00
" 2—	" Mrs. Dewroll.....	15	00
" 2—	" Mrs. Page.....	20	00
" 2—	" Board Relief, Galt.....	10	00
" 2—	" Mrs. Ellis.....	15	00
" 2—	" Mrs. Leclair.....	10	00
" 2—	" Mrs. Rubidge.....	20	00
" 3—	" Mrs. Gregory.....	20	00
" 3—	" Mrs. Thomas Martin.....	20	00
" 3—	" Board of Relief, Peterboro....	25	00
" 3—	" Mrs. Samuel White.....	15	00
" 3—	" Mrs. R. C. Martin.....	20	00
" 3—	" Board of Relief, Guelph.....	15	00
" 3—	" Mrs. James Filton.....	15	00
" 3—	" Mrs. Thos. Rawlings.....	15	00
" 3—	" Mrs. W. Phipps.....	15	00
" 4—	" Bro. Jos. Gordon.....	25	00
" 4—	" Mrs. Charles Chalmer.....	15	00
To amount carried forward.....		\$	1,505 00
By amount brought forward.....		\$	11,288 70

By amount carried forward.....\$11,288 70

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

1881.		1881.		By amount brought forward.....		\$ cts.	
Aug.	4—	To amount brought forward.....	1,505 00				
"	4—	Mrs. I. C. Richards.....	20 00				
"	4—	Mrs. W. Allan.....	15 00				
"	4—	Mrs. C. P. Wood.....	20 00				
"	4—	Mrs. I. K. Oliver.....	15 00				
"	4—	Mrs. G. T. Prentice.....	15 00				
"	4—	Mrs. Amos Goldsmith.....	15 00				
"	4—	Mrs. John Adamson.....	20 00				
"	4—	Mrs. Jos. Fisher.....	15 00				
"	4—	Mrs. Wm. Jolley.....	20 00				
"	4—	Bro. A. T. Howell.....	25 00				
"	4—	Bro. Jacob Rhinehart.....	25 00				
"	4—	Mrs. M. K. Conklin.....	15 00				
"	4—	Mrs. W. McWah.....	10 00				
"	4—	Mrs. Jas L. Lang.....	20 00				
"	4—	Mrs. F. J. Sawyer.....	20 00				
"	4—	Orphans, D. Mead.....	20 00				
"	4—	Mrs. W. Parney.....	10 00				
"	4—	Bro. W. Hanes.....	15 00				
"	4—	Mrs. I. McKenzie.....	20 00				
"	4—	Bro. T. Blondheim.....	25 00				
"	4—	Mrs E. Lewis.....	15 00				
"	4—	Mrs. Thos Spraul.....	20 00				
"	4—	Mrs. I. McKenzie.....	20 00				
"	4—	Mrs. W. Dickie.....	20 00				
"	4—	Mrs. R. T. Denoid.....	15 00				
"	4—	Mrs. J. Jackson.....	15 00				
To amount carried forward.....			1,970 00	By amount carried forward.....		\$ 11,238 70	

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

1881.		1881.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.
Aug.	4—	To amount brought forward.....	1,970 00	
"	4—	pd. Mrs. F. Nixon.....	20 00	
"	4—	" Mrs. Wm. Wallace.....	15 00	
"	4—	" Mrs. W. Campbell.....	20 00	
"	4—	" Mrs. J. Kesteven.....	15 00	
"	4—	" Mrs. J. W. Cox.....	20 00	
"	4—	" Mrs. S. Kneeshaw.....	10 00	
"	4—	" Mrs. J. Power.....	20 00	
"	4—	" Board of Relief, Toronto.....	150 00	
"	5—	" Mrs. J. Sutherland.....	20 00	
"	5—	" Mrs. J. Munroe.....	15 00	
"	5—	" Mrs. W. Beal.....	15 00	
"	5—	" Mrs. J. C. Small.....	20 00	
"	5—	" Mrs. H. P. Reid.....	15 00	
"	5—	" Mrs. Jos. Maynard.....	10 00	
"	8—	" Mrs. J. B. Somerville.....	15 00	
"	8—	" Mrs. Alex. Fraser.....	10 00	
"	8—	" Mrs. A. M. Souden.....	15 00	
"	8—	" Mrs. A. D. McDougall.....	15 00	
"	8—	" Mrs. N. O Camb.....	20 00	
"	9—	" Mrs. E. Tighe.....	20 00	
"	9—	" Mrs. Thos Kelly.....	20 00	
"	9—	" Mrs. I. Palmer.....	15 00	
"	9—	" Board of Relief, St. Thomas...	15 00	
"	10—	" " Strathroy.....	10 00	
"	10—	" Mrs. J. W. Collver.....	10 00	
"	10—	" Mrs. A. N. Bethune.....	10 00	
To amount carried forward.....			\$ 2,510 00	By amount brought forward..... 11,238 70

By amount carried forward.....\$11,238 70

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

1881.	1881.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.
Aug. 10—To amount brought forward.....	To amount brought forward.....	2,510 00	11,288 70
" 10—Mrs. John Rome.....	Mrs. John Rome.....	15 00	
" 10—Mrs. D. Lawrey	Mrs. D. Lawrey	20 00	
" 10—Mrs. N. Roblin.....	Mrs. N. Roblin.....	15 00	
" 11—Mrs. Thos. Hurst.....	Mrs. Thos. Hurst.....	15 00	
" 11—Mrs. G. Arnold.....	Mrs. G. Arnold.....	10 00	
" 11—Mrs. F. LeRoy.....	Mrs. F. LeRoy.....	15 00	
" 11—Mrs. John Wright.....	Mrs. John Wright.....	15 00	
" 11—Mrs. R. C. Benedict.....	Mrs. R. C. Benedict.....	20 00	
" 11—Board of Relief, Stratford....	Board of Relief, Stratford....	15 00	
" 11—Mrs. Thos. McComb.....	Mrs. Thos. McComb.....	10 00	
" 12—Mrs. C. Bryant.....	Mrs. C. Bryant.....	20 00	
" 12—Mrs. D. Mitchell.....	Mrs. D. Mitchell.....	10 00	
" 12—Mrs. W. A. Harvey.....	Mrs. W. A. Harvey.....	10 00	
" 12—Bro. T. Meyers.....	Bro. T. Meyers.....	15 00	
" 12—Mrs. W. Rees.....	Mrs. W. Rees.....	15 00	
" 13—Orphan J. Kennedy.....	Orphan J. Kennedy.....	20 00	
" 13—Board Relief, Strathroy.....	Board Relief, Strathroy.....	10 00	
" 13—Mrs. John Orr.....	Mrs. John Orr.....	20 00	
" 13—Mrs. A. McNeil.....	Mrs. A. McNeil.....	15 00	
" 13—Mrs. C. Gordon.....	Mrs. C. Gordon.....	20 00	
" 13—Mrs. J. Nelson.....	Mrs. J. Nelson.....	20 00	
" 16—Mrs. W. Hill.....	Mrs. W. Hill.....	15 00	
" 16—Mrs. Robert Beattie.....	Mrs. Robert Beattie.....	15 00	
" 16—Mrs. G. Horsenell.....	Mrs. G. Horsenell.....	10 00	
" 16—Mrs. W. J. T. Kerr.....	Mrs. W. J. T. Kerr.....	10 00	
" 16—Bro. G. Mansfield.....	Bro. G. Mansfield.....	20 00	
	To amount carried forward.....	\$ 2,905 00	\$ 11,288 70

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

1881.	1881.	\$	cts.	\$	cts.
Aug. 16—To pd.	To amount brought forward.....	2,905	00	By amount brought forward.....	11,238 70
" 16—	Bro. J. Reynell.....	15	00		
" 16—	Mrs. Hugh O'Neil.....	15	00		
" 16—	Mrs. B. J. Perey.....	20	00		
" 16—	Mrs. T. H. Close.....	10	00		
" 18—	Board of Relief, Niagara.....	15	00		
" 18—	Bro. James Wilson.....	20	00		
" 18—	Mrs. J. Thompson.....	10	00		
" 18—	Mrs. W. A. Dack.....	15	00		
" 18—	Mrs. Alex Dow.....	15	00		
" 18—	Mrs. W. B. Mills.....	10	00		
" 18—	Mrs. R. Howard.....	15	00		
" 20—	Mrs. J. Thoburn.....	15	00		
" 20—	Bro. R. Parkin.....	15	00		
" 20—	Mrs. C. Riggs.....	20	00		
" 20—	Board of Relief, Kingston....	30	00		
" 20—	Bro. E. J. Halliday.....	15	00		
" 22—	Mrs. A. Goldsmith.....	20	00		
" 22—	Mrs. John Harvey.....	20	00		
" 22—	Mrs. James Smythe.....	15	00		
" 22—	Mrs. F. C. Dean.....	10	00		
" 22—	Mrs. Peter Spence.....	15	00		
" 22—	Mrs. S. Inman.....	15	00		
" 24—	Mrs. W. Long.....	20	00		
" 24—	Mrs. John Hilton.....	15	00		
" 24—	Mrs. John Tilt.....	15	00		
" 24—	Mrs. Jos. Stoppleben.....	20	00		
	To amount carried forward.....	\$	8,825 00	By amount carried forward.....	\$11,238 70

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1881.	1881.	\$	cts.	\$	cts.
Aug. 24—	To amount brought forward.....	3,325	00	By amount brought forward.....	11,288 70
" 25—	pd. Bro. James Fallon.....	20	00		
" 25—	" Mrs. W. S. Pickhaver.....	10	00		
" 25—	" Mrs. J. W. Anderson.....	10	00		
" 25—	" Mrs. Jas. Lindsay.....	20	00		
" 25—	" Bro. S. Chubbuck.....	25	00		
" 25—	" Mrs. S. Braund.....	20	00		
" 25—	" Mrs. D. McCallum.....	15	00		
" 26—	" Mrs. W. Reynolds.....	15	00		
" 26—	" Orphans Bro. Gott.....	15	00		
" 26—	" Mrs. James McRae.....	10	00		
" 26—	" Mrs. P. Smith.....	15	00		
Sept. 1—	" Mrs. John Bracken.....	15	00		
" 1—	" Mrs. John Davey.....	10	00		
" 1—	" Bro. Oldham.....	20	00		
" 1—	" Bro. Graves.....	25	00		
" 1—	" Board of Relief, Windsor....	25	00		
" 10—	" Bro. F. A. Cameron.....	20	00		
" 10—	" Mrs. W. W. Pringle.....	20	00		
" 10—	" Mrs. G. H. Keeve.....	10	00		
" 10—	" Mrs. W. Jones.....	15	00		
" 15—	" Mrs. J. R. Gill.....	20	00		
" 16—	" Mrs. Robert Lowe.....	15	00		
" 16—	" Mrs. W. McGhee.....	15	00		
" 16—	" Mrs. C. T. Harper.....	15	00		
" 21—	" Mrs. T. W. Marr.....	20	00		
" 21—	" Mrs. W. Cogle.....	20	00		
	To amount carried forward.....	\$	3,765 00	By amount carried forward.....	\$11,288 70

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

1881.	1881.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.
Sept. 21—To amount brought forward....		3,765 00	
" 21—Mrs R. Hill		20 00	
" 21—Mrs. A. McDougall.....		10 00	
" 21—Mrs. J. P. McPherson.....		15 00	
" 21—Mrs. D. Robertson.....		10 00	
" 21—Bro. J. B. Galt.....		20 00	
" 21—Mrs J. J. Carter.....		15 00	
" 21—Mrs. W. A. Gregory.....		20 00	
" 21—Mrs. Harry Reid.....		15 00	
" 21—Mrs. W. H. Falls.....		15 00	
Oct. 4—Mrs. W. Sweeney.....		15 00	
" 4—Bro. Eli Hurd.....		25 00	
" 4—Mrs. C. Bennett.....		25 00	
" 17—Mrs. E. Campaigne		20 00	
" 17—Mrs. M. J. May.....		10 00	
" 17—Daughter of J. R. Steel.....		20 00	
" 24—Mrs. J. D. Roblin.....		15 00	
" 24—Mrs. C. Benedict.....		20 00	
" 24—Mrs. T. Aishton.....		15 00	
" 24—Orphans, Bro. Todd.....		10 00	
" 24—" Hudson.....		15 00	
" 24—Mrs. J. H. Wright.....		15 00	
" 24—Bro. W. Faulds		20 00	
" 24—Mrs. W. Petit.....		15 00	
Nov. 21—Mrs. W. Chisholm.....		15 00	
" 21—Bro. Fauquier		15 00	
" 21—Mrs. T. B. Howells.....		20 00	
To amount carried forward.....		\$ 4,195 00	
By amount brought forward.....			\$ 11,238 70
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1881.		1882.		By amount brought forward.....		\$ cts.	
Dec.	7—To	To amount brought forward.....	4,195 00				
"	"	Mrs. T. W. Hersey.....	20 00				
"	"	Mrs. G. Smith.....	20 00				
"	"	Mrs. Hugh Moore.....	20 00				
"	"	Mrs. W. W. Reid.....	20 00				
"	10—	Mrs. C. Skinner	15 00				
"	10—	Bro. Duncanson	20 00				
"	31—	Bro. Job Tripp.....	25 00				
1882.							
Jan.	10—To	Board of Relief, Chatham.....	15 00				
"	"	Mrs. J. B. Taylor	15 00				
"	"	Local Board, Windsor.....	25 00				
"	"	Mrs. Smith.....	15 00				
"	"	Mrs. Leith.....	15 00				
"	"	Board of Relief, Hamilton.....	100 00				
"	"	Bro. Munroe.....	20 00				
"	"	Mrs. Pettit	15 00				
"	"	Board of Relief, London.....	90 00				
"	"	Mrs. E. W. Griffith.....	10 00				
"	"	Bro. Fauquier.....	15 00				
"	"	Mrs. J. Hortop.....	15 00				
"	"	Mrs. W. W. Pringle	20 00				
"	"	Mrs. Chas. Ross.....	20 00				
"	"	Bro. S. Tuttle	25 00				
"	"	Orphans, Bro. Fowler.....	15 00				
"	"	Mrs. H. L. Turner.....	15 00				
"	"	Mrs. S. Inman	15 00				
To amount carried forward.....				\$ 4,795 00			
By amount brought forward.....				\$ 11,288 70			

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

1882.	1882.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.
Jan. 18—To pd.	To amount brought forward.....	4,795 00	By amount brought forward..... 11,238 70
" 18—	Mrs. H. R. Reid.....	15 00	
" 18—	Mrs. Maynard.....	10 00	
" 18—	Board of Relief, Galt....	10 00	
" 19—	Mrs. W. A. Gregory.....	20 00	
" 19—	Mrs. J. LeClair.....	10 00	
" 19—	Mrs. T. G. Westcott.....	15 00	
" 19—	Mrs. L. Hessel.....	15 00	
" 19—	Mrs. N. Mathieson.....	20 00	
" 19—	Board of Relief, Stratford....	15 00	
" 19—	Mrs. R. W. Moore.....	10 00	
" 19—	Mrs. Patterson.....	15 00	
" 19—	Bro. Pollock.....	25 00	
" 19—	Mrs. McGibeny.....	15 00	
" 19—	Mrs. Parney.....	10 00	
" 20—	Mrs. Scott.....	20 00	
" 20—	Mrs. Neilson.....	20 00	
" 20—	Board of Relief, Strathroy.....	10 00	
" 20—	Mrs. Sutherland.....	20 00	
" 20—	Mrs. Clegg.....	15 00	
" 20—	Mrs. Francis.....	10 00	
" 20—	Mrs. McIntyre.....	10 00	
" 20—	Mrs. Leister.....	20 00	
" 20—	Board of Relief, St. Thomas..	15 00	
" 21—	Orphans, D. Mead.....	20 00	
" 21—	Mrs. Riggs.....	20 00	
" 21—	Mrs. P. Smith.....	15 00	
	To amount carried forward	\$ 5,195 00	By amount carried forward
			\$11,288 70

1882.		\$	cts.	1882.		\$	cts.
	To amount brought forward.....	5,195	00		By amount brought forward.....	11,238	70
Jan. 21—	To pd. Mrs. McRae.....	10	00				
" 21—	" Ann B. Chaloner	15	00				
" 21—	" Mrs. Salmoni	10	00				
" 21—	" Mrs. Carroll	10	00				
" 21—	" Bro. Hodgkinson	25	00				
" 21—	" Mrs. Russell	10	00				
" 25—	" Mrs. Sawyer	20	00				
" 25—	" Mrs. Harvey	10	00				
" 25—	" Bro. Reynell	15	00				
" 25—	" Mrs. Bethune.....	10	00				
" 25—	" Mrs. Case	10	00				
" 25—	" Mrs. McDowell.....	20	00				
" 25—	" Board of Relief, Guelph	15	00				
" 25—	" Mrs. Perley.....	15	00				
" 25—	" Mrs. O'Camb	20	00				
" 25—	" Mrs. Dunlop	20	00				
" 22—	" Mrs. Page	20	00				
" 25—	" Mrs. Tilt.....	15	00				
" 25—	" Mrs. Horsenell.....	10	00				
" 25—	" Bro. Wilson.....	20	00				
" 25—	" Bro. Prentice.....	15	00				
" 25—	" Mrs. Lowery.....♦	20	00				
" 25—	" Mrs. White.....	15	00				
" 25—	" Mrs. Bowman.....	15	00				
" 26—	" Mrs. Ellis.....	15	00				
" 26—	" Mrs. Dack.....	15	00				
	To amount carried forward	5,590	00		By amount carried forward	11,238	70

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

1882.	1882.		\$	cts.		\$	cts.
Jan. 26—	To pd.	To amount brought forward.....	5,590	00	By amount brought forward.....	11,238	70
" 26—	"	Mrs. Sproule.....	20	00			
" 26—	"	Bro. Faulds.....	20	00			
" 26—	"	Mrs. Bridgeford.....	20	00			
" 26—	"	Mrs. McGhee.....	15	00			
" 26—	"	Mrs. Thoburn.....	15	00			
" 26—	"	Mrs. O'Neill.....	15	00			
" 26—	"	Daughter Bro. Nelson.....	15	00			
" 26—	"	Mrs. Wood.....	20	00			
" 26—	"	Mrs. Frazer.....	10	00			
" 26—	"	Mrs. Souden.....	15	00			
" 26—	"	Mrs. Campbell.....	20	00			
" 26—	"	Mrs. Jackson.....	15	00			
" 26—	"	Mrs. McKenzie.....	20	00			
" 26—	"	Mrs. Adamson.....	20	00			
" 26—	"	Mrs. Goldsmith.....	15	00			
" 26—	"	Mrs. Fisher.....	15	00			
" 26—	"	Mrs. Dickie.....	20	00			
" 26—	"	Mrs. Nixon.....	20	00			
" 26—	"	Mrs. Cox.....	20	00			
" 26—	"	Mrs. Jolley.....	20	00			
" 26—	"	Mrs. Denoid.....	15	00			
" 26—	"	Mrs. Kestevan.....	15	00			
" 26—	"	Mrs. Kneeshaw.....	10	00			
" 26—	"	Mrs. Power.....	20	00			
" 26—	"	Bro. Howell.....	25	00			
" 26—	"	Board of Relief, Toronto.....	150	00			
		To amount carried forward.....	\$	6,175	00	By amount carried forward.....	\$11,238 70

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

1882.		1882.	\$	cts.	\$	cts.
Jan. 26—	To amount brought forward...		6,175	00	By amount brought forward.... 11,238 70	
" 26—	Mrs. Small...		20	00		
" 26—	Mrs. Gordon...		25	00		
" 27—	Mrs. Bryant...		20	00		
" 27—	Mrs. Hill...		20	00		
" 27—	Mrs. Rawlings...		15	00		
" 27—	Mrs. Martin...		20	00		
" 27—	Mrs. Walsh...		10	00		
" 27—	Orphan, Bro. Booth...		20	00		
" 27—	Orphan, Bro. Craib...		20	00		
" 27—	Mrs. Harper...		15	00		
" 27—	Mrs. Long...		20	00		
" 27—	Mrs. Tilton...		15	00		
" 27—	Mrs. Bennett...		25	00		
" 27—	Mrs. Stoppleben...		20	00		
" 27—	Mrs. Harvey...		20	00		
" 27—	Mrs. Roblin...		15	00		
" 27—	Mrs. Sommerville...		15	00		
" 27—	Mrs. Percy...		20	00		
" 27—	Bro. Mansfield...		20	00		
" 27—	Mrs. Rees...		15	00		
" 31—	Mrs. Phipps...		15	00		
" 31—	Bro. Rhinehart...		25	00		
" 31—	Mrs. Fidell...		10	00		
" 31—	Mrs. Hill...		15	00		
Feb. 1—	Mrs. Mitchell...		10	00		
" 1—	Bro. C. W. Smith...		25	00	By amount carried forward... \$11,238 70	
To amount carried forward....			\$	6,645 00		

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

1882.		1882.	\$	cts.
Feb.	1—To	To amount brought forward....	6,645	00
"	"	Mrs. Andrews.....	15	00
"	1—	Mrs. Chichester.....	20	00
"	1—	Mrs. Davy.....	10	00
"	1—	Mrs. McLellan.....	15	00
"	1—	Mrs. McNeil.....	15	00
"	1—	Mrs. Quackenbush.....	15	00
"	3—	Mrs. Fidell.....	10	00
"	3—	Mrs. Thompson.....	10	00
"	3—	Mrs. Collver.....	10	00
"	3—	Mrs. Howard.....	15	00
"	3—	Bro. Eli Hurd.....	25	00
"	3—	Mrs. Hill.....	20	00
"	3—	Mrs. Cummins.....	15	00
"	3—	Orphans, Bro. Gott.....	15	00
"	4—	Mrs. Taylor.....	15	00
"	4—	Mrs. Smythe.....	15	00
"	4—	Bro. Hanes.....	15	00
"	4—	Mrs. Oliver.....	15	00
"	4—	Bro. Galt.....	20	00
"	4—	Board of Relief, Niagara.....	15	00
"	4—	Bro. Chubbuck.....	25	00
"	4—	Mrs. Allan.....	15	00
"	4—	Mrs. Rome.....	15	00
"	4—	Bro. Newbold.....	25	00
"	4—	Humanitas Lodge, Vienna....	122	91
"	10—	Mrs. Richards.....	20	00
To amount carried forward.....			\$	7,172 91
By amount brought forward.....			\$	11,238 70

By amount carried forward.....\$11,238 70

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

1882.	1882.	1882.	1882.
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Feb. 10—	To amount brought forward.....	7,172 91	
" 11—	" Mrs. May.....	10 00	
" 11—	" Mrs. Gordon.....	20 00	
" 11—	" Mrs. Robertson.....	10 00	
" 11—	" Mrs. Pickhaven.....	10 00	
" 11—	" Mrs. Wright.....	15 00	
" 11—	" Mrs. Miller.....	20 00	
" 11—	" Mrs. McGregor.....	20 00	
" 11—	" Mrs. Beal.....	15 00	
" 11—	" Mrs. Hilton.....	15 00	
" 11—	" Mrs. Tighe.....	20 00	
" 14—	" Mrs. Russell.....	10 00	
" 14—	" Mrs. Detrolf.....	15 00	
" 14—	" Mrs. Snellgrove.....	15 00	
" 14—	" Daughtier, Bro. Steel.....	20 00	
" 14—	" Mrs. Robbin.....	15 00	
" 14—	" Bro. Myers.....	15 00	
" 14—	" Bro. Blondheim.....	25 00	
" 14—	" Orphans, Bro. Mowat.....	20 00	
" 14—	" Mrs. Allan.....	10 00	
" 14—	" Mrs. Conklin.....	15 00	
" 14—	" Mrs. Dean.....	10 00	
" 16—	" Mrs. Rubridge.....	20 00	
" 16—	" Mrs. Bracken.....	15 00	
" 16—	" Orphans, Bro. Todd.....	10 00	
" 16—	" Bro. Graves.....	25 00	
" 16—	" Bro. Parker.....	15 00	
	To amount carried forward.....	7,582 91	
	By amount brought forward.....		11,238 70

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

1882.	1882.	\$	cts.	\$	cts.
Feb. 16—To amount brought forward.....		7,582	91	By amount brought forward.....	11,238 70
" 17—Mrs. Palmer.....		15	00		
" 17—Mrs. Spickett.....		10	00		
" 17—Mrs. Howells.....		20	00		
" 17—Mrs. Reid.....		20	00		
" 17—Mrs. Smith.....		20	00		
" 17—Mrs. Moore.....		20	00		
" 17—Mrs. Wright.....		15	00		
" 17—Mrs. Martin.....		20	00		
" 17—Board of Relief, Ottawa.....		75	00		
" 18—Mrs. Ferguson.....		10	00		
" 18—Mrs. LeRoy.....		15	00		
" 18—Mrs. W. W. Pringle.....		20	00		
" 18—Mrs. Lindsay.....		20	00		
" 18—Mrs. McCallum.....		15	00		
" 18—Mrs. Marr.....		20	00		
" 18—Mrs. Hunter.....		15	00		
" 18—Mrs. Kerr.....		10	00		
" 23—Orphans, Bro. Kennedy.....		20	00		
" 23—Bro. Halliday.....		15	00		
" 23—Mrs. Hurst.....		15	00		
" 23—Mrs. Mills.....		10	00		
" 23—Funeral, Bro. Harington.....		143	91		
" 23—Board of Relief, Goderich.....		10	00		
" 23—Mrs. Arnold.....		10	00		
" 23—Mrs. McKenzie.....		20	00		
" 23—Bro. Tallon.....		20	00		
				By amount carried forward.....	\$11,238 70

By amount carried forward.....\$ 8,186 82

BALANCE SHEET, 31st MAY, 1882.
Dr. The Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of Canada in account with E. MITCHELL, Grand Treasurer. Cr.

Stocks, Balance 31st May, 1881.	\$	cts.	General Fund.....	\$	cts.
General Fund and Benevolence			Asylum Fund: Balance, 31st May,		25,858 80
Investment Fund \$48,200 00			1881	\$ 9,215 55	
Asylum Fund 7,200 00			Add interest collected	360 00	
Cash in Canadian Bank of Commerce	55,400 00		Deduct not paid Shawenegan Lodge,	\$ 9,575 55	
	9,799 27		Three Rivers.....	94 80	
					9,480 72
			Benevolence Investment Account:		
			Balance at 31st May, 1881....	25,952 54	
			Add 10% Gross Receipts from 1st		
			June, 1881	1,380 30	
					27,332 84
			Benevolence, Current Account.....		2,526 88
					<u>\$65,199 27</u>

Lodges marked (a) hold their Installation of Officers on Festival of St. John the Evangelist; all others on that of St. John the Baptist.

NO.	LODGE.	WHERE HELD.	NIGHT OF MEETING.	W. MASTER.	SECRETARY.
2	Niagara.....	Niagara.....	Wednesday on or before 1. moon, monthly.	Robt. Shearer...	E. H. Thompson.
3	The An. St. John's	Kingston.....	First Thursday.....	G. W. Gaden.....	John Sutherland.
5	St. James.....	Brookville.....	Wednesday on or before 1. moon	W. J. Simpson.....	Alex. Stewart.
6	Barton.....	Hamilton.....	Second Wednesday.....	Thos. Clappison.....	Allan Land.
7	Union.....	Grimsby.....	Thursday on or before 1. moon	A. H. Pettit.....	W. L. Woolverton.
9	Union.....	Napanee.....	Friday on or before 1. moon..	C. Z. Perry.....	R. A. Shorey.
10	Norfolk.....	Simcoe.....	Tuesday on or before 1. moon..	Robt. Rochester ..	Jas. F. Wilson.
11	Moira.....	Belleville.....	Wednesday before 1. moon....	A. McGinnis.....	Chas. Lockerty.
14	True Britons	Perth.....	First Monday.....	Robt. Jamieson ..	P. M. Sinclair.
15	St. George's ..	St. Catharines	Tuesday on or before 1. moon..	C. C. McDermott..	Wm. B. Towers.
16	St. Andrew's ..	Toronto.....	Second Tuesday.....	M. E. Snider.....	L. J. Clark.
17	St. John's ..	Cobourg.....	Monday on or before 1. moon..	D. McNaughton...	Robt. Morrow.
18	Prince Edward	Pictou.....	Thursday on or before 1. moon	John Warring.....	D. W. Johnson.
20	St. John's ..	London.....	Second Tuesday.....	Wm. McCadden..	M. D. Dawson.
22	King Solomon's	Toronto.....	Second Thursday.....	N. T. Lyon.....	Jos. Purvis.
23	Richmond.....	Richmondhill..	Monday on or before 1. moon..	Jas. Reynolds ..	D. T. Fairbairn.
24	St. Francis.....	Smith's Falls..	Friday on or before 1. moon..	J. J. Fairgrieve... S. Moag.	
25	London.....	Toronto.....	First Tuesday.....	C. W. Postlethwaite	J. B. Boomer.
26	Ontario.....	Port Hope.....	Third Tuesday.....	D. J. Goggin.....	W. B. Wallace.
27	Strict Observance	Hamilton.....	Third Thursday.....	F. F. Dally.....	John Poole.
28	Mount Zion ..	Kemptville.....	Wednesday before 1. moon....	Thos. Johnston...	W. H. Bottom.
29	United.....	Brighton.....	Thursday on or before 1. moon	Joseph Clouston ..	W. A. Mayhew.
30	Composite.....	Whitby.....	First Thursday	Jas. Brown.....	Robt. Willis..
31	Jerusalem.....	Bowmanville...	Wednesday on or before 1. moon	Wm. McKay.....	Wm. Wright.
32	Amity.....	Dunnville.....	Wednesday on or after 1. moon	A. Couper.....	W. T. Parry.

RETURNS OF SUBORDINATE LODGES, AS AT 20TH JUNE, 1932.

NO	LODGE	WHERE HELD.	NIGHT OF MEETING.	W. MASTER.	SECRETARY.
33	aGoderich.....	Goderich.....	First Wednesday.....	Hy. Cooke.....	Joseph Beck.
34	aThistle.....	Amherstburg.....	Tuesday before f. moon.....	Geo. Green.....	J. A. Auld.
35	St. John's.....	Cayuga.....	Thursday on or after f. moon.....	J. A. Hoshal.....	Thos. Bridger.
36	Welland.....	Fonthill.....	Thursday on or before f. moon.....	J. O. Emmett.....	R. W. Page.
37	aKing Hiram.....	Ingersoll.....	Tuesday on or before f. moon.....	Wm. Thompson.....	J. L. Perkins.
38	aTrent.....	Trenton.....	Tuesday before f. moon.....	H. W. Day.....	Isaac Wilson.
39	aMount Zion.....	Brooklin.....	Tuesday on or before f. moon.....	Wm. H. Browne.....	B. Lawson.
40	aSt. John's.....	Hamilton.....	Third Thursday.....	J. A. Malcolm.....	David Hill.
41	aSt. George's.....	Kingville.....	Thursday on or before f. moon.....	E. Allworth.....	J. S. Middough.
42	aSt. George's.....	London.....	First Wednesday.....	Geo. Angus.....	A. Ellis, Jr.
43	King Solomon's.....	Woodstock.....	Tuesday on or before f. moon.....	A. J. McIntosh.....	Geo Middleton.
44	aSt. Thomas.....	St. Thomas.....	First Thursday.....	J. J. Teetzel.....	B. Stillson
45	Brant.....	Brantford.....	Tuesday on or before f. moon.....	E. Kester.....	Geo. Lindley.
46	aWellington.....	Chatham.....	First Monday.....	J. E. Peers.....	Jas. Birch.
47	aGreat Western.....	Windsor.....	Thursday on or before f. moon.....	P. A. Craig.....	Jas. McNally.
48	aMadoc.....	Madoc.....	Tuesday on or before f. moon.....	H. S. O'Hara.....	Jas. O'Hara, Jr.
50	aConsecon.....	Consecon.....	Friday on or before f. moon.....	T. H. Thornton.....	Geo. J. Waddell.
52	Dalhousie.....	Ottawa.....	First Tuesday.....	C. Campbell.....	B. G. Greene.
54	aVaughan.....	Maple.....	Tuesday on or before f. moon.....	L. Richardson.....	Mat. Shunk.
55	aMerrickville.....	Merrickville.....	Tuesday on or before f. moon.....	R. W. Watchorn.....	Hugh Maguire.
56	Victoria.....	Sarnia.....	Tuesday on or before f. moon.....	Jas. Woods.....	Wm. Williams.
57	aHarmony.....	Binbrook.....	Monday after f. moon.....	John Brown, Jr.....	Joseph Graham.
58	aBoric.....	Ottawa.....	First Wednesday.....	A. Smirle.....	Samuel Rothwell.
61	aAcacia.....	Hamilton.....	Fourth Friday.....	Alf. Poulter.....	A. R. White.
62	aSt. Andrew's.....	Caledonia.....	Wednesday on or before f. moon.....	W. T. Sawle.....	W. J. Clark.
63	aSt. John's.....	Carlston Place.....	Wednesday on or before f. moon.....	Geo. Douglas.....	W. F. Latimer.

64	a Kilwinning	London	Third Thursday	monthly	John Hargreaves	W. R. Brown.
65	a Rehoboth	Toronto	First Thursday	"	F. Gallow	A. W. McLachlan.
66	a Durham	Newcastle	Tuesday on or before f. moon	"	Thos. Venner	E. Simmons.
68	a St. John's	Ingersoll	Thursday on or before f. moon	"	Jas. Badden	Wm. Ewart.
69	a Stirling	Stirling	Thursday after full moon	"	Richard Finch	M. Seeley, Jr.
72	a Alma	Galt	Thursday on or before f. moon	"	R. S. Blain	Thos. Patterson.
73	a St. James	St. Mary's	First Monday	"	Wm. Wooldridge	A. Carman.
74	a St. James	Maitland	Monday nearest f. moon	"	John Moore	Chas. B. Lamont.
75	a St. John's	Toronto	First Monday	"	J. Moerschfelder	John. L. Kerr.
76	a Oxford	Woodstock	Second Wednesday	"	Wm. McKay	H. B. Sproat.
77	a Faithful Brethren	Lindsay	First Friday	"	Duncan Ray	Thos. Beall.
78	a King Hiram	Tilsonburg	Wednesday on or before f. moon	"	G. W. Hare	W. S. Law.
79	a Simcoe	Bradford	Thursday after f. moon	"	J. F. Williams	Chas. Elliott.
80	a Albion	Newbury	First Tuesday	"	Wm. Beattie	Joe Mills.
81	a St. John's	Mt. Brydges	Tuesday on or before f. moon	"	D. Campbell	N. G. Lindsay.
82	a St. John's	Paris	Tuesday on or before f. moon	"	Jas. W. Trenam	Wm. R. Baker.
83	a Beaver	Strathroy	Friday on or after f. moon	"	Jas. H. Robb	C. Mole.
84	a Clinton	Clinton	Friday on or after f. moon	"	Jno. McWhirter	T. L. Fortuna.
85	a Rising Sun	Farmersville	Thursday on or before f. moon	"	J. B. Saunders	I. C. Alguire.
86	a Wilson	Toronto	Third Tuesday	"	A. R. Riches	G. R. M. Clarke.
87	a Markham Union	Markham	Friday on or before f. moon	"	G. R. Vanzant	H. R. Corson.
88	a St. George's	Owen Sound	Wednesday on or before f. moon	"	R. McKnight	J. C. Crane.
89	a King Hiram	Lindsay	Third Friday	"	J. W. Wallace	J. H. McFall.
90	a Manito	Collingwood	Wednesday on or after f. moon	"	W. R. Anderson	Chris. Moore.
91	a Colborne	Colborne	Friday on or before f. moon	"	W. H. Smith	Geo. Keyes.
92	a Cataract	Kingston	Second Wednesday	"	Wm. Waddington	D. Callaghan.
93	a Northern Light	Kincardine	First Wednesday	"	Ben. Freer	R. D. Hall.
94	a St. Mark's	Port Stanley	Second Tuesday	"	H. Ellison	R. R. Goulding.
95	a Ridout	Otterville	Thursday on or before f. moon	"	W. F. Kay	M. Durkee.
96	a Corinthian	Barrie	First Thursday	"	C. L. Sanders	E. H. Edwards.
97	a Sharon	Sharon	Tuesday on or before f. moon	"	S. C. Soules	Wm. Dodds.
98	a True Blue	Albion	Friday on or before f. moon	"	W. J. Dixon	S. J. Snell.

RETURNS OF SUBORDINATE LODGES, AS AT 24TH JUNE, 1882.

NO.	LODGE.	WHERE HELD.	NIGHT OF MEETING.	W. MASTER.	SECRETARY.
99	a Tuscan.....	Newmarket...	Second Wednesday..... monthly	R. Flood.....	John E. Hughes.
100	Valley.....	Dundas.....	Monday on or before f. moon..	W. P. Crawford ..	J. S. Baillie.
101	a Corinthian.....	Peterborough..	Wednesday on or before f. moon..	H. C. Winch.....	E. J. Toker.
103	a Maple Leaf.....	St. Catharines..	Thursday on or after f. moon..	Moses Mann.....	E. J. Levenworth.
104	St. John's.....	Norwich.....	Wednesday on or after f. moon..	H. Cousins.....	S. B. McCay.
105	St. Mark's.....	Drummondv'e ..	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	G. Goldsboro ..	W. A. Kennedy.
106	a Burford.....	Burford.....	Wednesday on or before f. moon..	F. D. Wilson.....	W. F. Miles.
107	St. Paul's.....	Lambeth.....	Wednesday on or before f. moon..	A. Routledge.....	R. F. Smith.
108	Blenheim.....	Drumbo.....	Wednesday on or before f. moon..	S. D. Brown.....	J. F. Goodwin.
109	a Albion.....	Harrowemith..	Friday on or before f. moon..	J. E. Watson ..	Jas. Cooke.
110	a Central.....	Prescott.....	First Tuesday.....	W. H. Dunn.....	J. P. McCarthy.
112	Manland.....	Goderich.....	Second Tuesday.....	Richard Radcliffe..	C. A. Humber.
113	a Wilson.....	Waterford.....	Wednesday on or before f. moon..	E. H. Long.....	E. W. Burgess.
114	a Hopo.....	Port Hope.....	First Thursday ..	J. A. Cheer.....	J. Harner.
115	a Ivy.....	Beamsville.....	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	R. McCaskill.....	John Ritchie.
116	a Caesia.....	Thedford.....	Monday on or before f. moon..	A. F. Phillips ..	W. G. Rickman.
118	Union.....	Schomberg.....	Monday on or before f. moon..	F. D. Ramsay.....	W. R. Bond.
119	a Maple Leaf.....	Bath.....	Monday before f. moon.....	Max Robinson.....	C. L. Rogers.
120	Warren.....	Fingal.....	First Tuesday.....	Jas. W. Miller.....	Wm. A. Doyle.
121	a Doric.....	Brantford.....	Friday on or before f. moon..	A. J. Wilker.....	Jas. P. Exceall.
122	a Refrew.....	Renfrew.....	First Monday.....	D. C. McDougall ..	A. Inglis.
123	The Belleville.....	Belleville.....	First Thursday.....	Angus McKeown ..	Wm. McKeown.
125	a Cornwall.....	Cornwall.....	First Tuesday.....	E. Moyer.....	Geo. Milden.
126	a Golden Rule.....	Campbellford..	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	J. W. Byam.....	A. G. Knight.
127	Frank.....	Frankfort.....	Monday before f. moon.....	G. E. E. Wilson ..	D. A. Clark.
128	a Pembroke.....	Pembroke.....	First Thursday.....	Jas. H. Bennett ..	Chas. Francis.

1133	aLebanon Forest..	Exeter.....	Monday on or before f. moon..	W. D. Bright..	C. Benior.
1135	aSt. Clair.....	Milton.....	Thursday on or before f. moon	Jas. A. Fraser..	E. Dixon.
1136	Richardson.....	Stonerville..	Wednesday on or before f. moon	John Urquhart..	D. McMurphy.
1137	aPythagoras.....	Mesford.....	Friday nearest f. moon.....	John H. Parsons..	A. H. Watson.
1139	Lebanon.....	Oshawa.....	Second Tuesday.....	Robt. McCaw..	Robt. Gott.
1140	aMalabide.....	Aylmer.....	Wednesday on or before f. moon	John E. Black...	S. B. Clutton.
1141	aTuter.....	Mitchell.....	Tuesday before f. moon.....	Geo. Hodge.....	Wm. White.
1142	aExcelsior.....	Morrisburg..	Thursday on or before f. moon..	B. Fell.....	W. A. Nash.
1143	aFriendly Brothers	Iroquois.....	Wednesday before f. moon....	Jas. Stephenson..	John M. Tuttle.
1144	aTecumseh.....	Stratford... ..	First Thursday.....	H. Grant.....	A. E. Neil.
1145	aJ. B. Hall.....	Millbrook... ..	Second Thursday.....	John Hunter.....	John O. Kells.
1146	aPrince of Wales..	Newburgh... ..	Wednesday before f. moon....	R. W. Longmore..	Chas. Welbanks.
1147	aMississippi.....	Almonte.....	First Friday.....	John M. Munro..	Thos Coulter.
1148	aCivil Service....	Ottawa.....	Second Tuesday.....	A. F. Rogers.....	L. F. A. Maingy.
1149	aErie.....	Port Dover... ..	Monday on or before f. moon..	W. F. Tibbette...	W. R. Reid.
1150	aHastings.....	Hastings.....	Thursday on or before f. moon..	A. B. German.....	John Brackenridge.
1151	The Grand River..	Berlin.....	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	Wm. Ryder.....	L. P. Seigman.
1153	aBurns.....	Wyoming.....	Thursday on or before f. moon	A. N. Wood.....	Jas. Newell.
1154	aIrving.....	Lucan.....	Thursday on or before f. moon	W. Quigley.....	Jas. P. Atkinson.
1155	aPeterborough..	Peterborough..	First Friday.....	R. S. Davidson....	R. W. McFadden.
1156	aYork.....	Eglington.....	Friday on or before f. moon..	S. T. Humberstone	C. C. Norris.
1157	Simpeon.....	Newboro'.....	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	J. R. Dargaval....	J. M. McGulgan.
1158	aAlexandra.....	Oil Springs....	Thursday on or after f. moon..	Wm. Smith.....	Wm. Miller.
1159	aGoodwood.....	Richmond.....	First Tuesday.....	John Satchell...	H. Rielly.
1161	aPeroy.....	Warkworth...	Wednesday before f. moon....	T. Bally.....	J. F. Charlton.
1162	Forest.....	Wroster.....	Monday on or before f. moon..	D. M. Walker.....	David Hood.
1164	aStar in the East..	Wellington.....	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	H. McCullough...	A. G. McDonald.
1165	aBurlington.....	Burlington...	Wednesday on or before f. moon	Wm. Kearns.....	Fred'k Bray.
1166	aWentworth.....	Stoney Creek..	Monday on or before f. moon..	Hugh Murray...	J. G. Carruthers.
1168	aMerritt.....	Welland.....	Monday on or before f. moon..	S. J. Siday.....	D. D. Hooker.

RETURNS OF SUBORDINATE LODGES, AS AT 24TH JUNE, 1902.

NO.	LODGE.	WHERE HELD.	NIGHT OF MEETING.	W. MASTER.	SECRETARY.
169	aMacNab	Port Colborne..	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	D. W. Carter.....	Chas. Logsdin.
170	aBritannia	Seaforth.....	First Monday	Hy. Cameron	D. D. Rose.
171	aPrince of Wales..	Iona.....	Friday on or after f. moon....	W. J. Philpott.....	D. McColl.
172	aAyr	Ayr.....	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	W. C. Patton.....	G. D. Lewis.
174	aWalsingham	Port Rowan..	First Thursday.....	Geo. Stewart	Wm. Ross.
176	aSpartan.....	Sparta.....	Monday on or before f. moon..	F. A. Henderson ..	G. H. Haight.
177	aThe Builders	Ottawa.....	Second Friday	E. Daubney.....	H. H. Cairns.
178	aPlattville.....	Plattville.....	Friday on or before f. moon..	Thos. Alshire	E. J. Beuchier.
179	aBothwell.....	Bothwell.....	Wednesday on or before f. moon	H. F. Smith.....	W. N. Johnson.
180	aSpeed.....	Guelph.....	First Tuesday.....	Jno. McKenzie.....	J. Munnack.
181	aOriental.....	Port Burwell..	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	M. G. Burwell.....	A. E. Wallace.
183	aPrince Albert.....	Port Perry.....	Friday on or before f. moon..	D. Ledingham.....	Wm. Spence.
184	aOld Light.....	Lucknow.....	Thursday on or before f. moon	D. McKinnon	G. A. Siddall.
186	aEnniskillen.....	York.....	Monday on or before f. moon..	Wm. Clark	John Seun.
188	aPlantagenet.....	Plantagenet	Monday on or before f. moon..	C. E. Johnson	N. G. Ross.
189	aFilius Viduus	Adolphustown.	Wednesday on or before f. moon	B. M. Wylie.....	W. E. Sills.
190	aBelmont.....	Belmont.....	Friday on or before f. moon..	John Boyd.....	Rev. K. McDonald.
192	aOrillia.....	Orillia.....	Friday on or after f. moon....	A. J. Alport	B. F. Kean.
193	aScotland.....	Scotland.....	Monday on or before f. moon..	Rev. Wm. Hay.....	M. Maloolm.
194	aPetrolia.....	Petrolia.....	Second Wednesday.....	Jas. McLurg.....	J. E. Durham.
195	aThe Tuscan.....	London.....	First Friday.....	John Macbeth.....	R. B. Hungerford.
196	aMadawaska.....	Arnprior.....	Thursday on or before f. moon	R. G. Moles.....	W. W. Stirling.
197	aSaugeen.....	Walkerton.....	Second Tuesday.....	Wm. A. Green.....	Wm. Allardice.
200	St Alban's.....	Mount Forest	Friday on or before f. moon..	E. B. Boselly	J. N. Oringle.
201	aLeeds.....	Granby.....	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	Clare L. Worrell ..	Jas. Hayward.
203	aIrvine.....	Elsie.....	Friday before f. moon.....	T. P. Smith.....	P. E. Thompson.

205	New Dominion.....	New Hamburg	Monday on or after f. moon..	monthly	Joah. Daniel.....	Wm. J. Ward.
207	aLancaster	Lancaster.....	Saturday on or before f. moon	"	John McLennan ..	G. W. Houston.
208a	aSt. John's	London.....	Second Thursday.....	"	John S. Dewar.....	John Siddons.
209	Evergreen.....	Lanark.....	First Tuesday.....	"	John H. Bothwell..	Wm. A. Field.
210	aHawkesbury	Hawkesbury	Wednesday on or before f. moon	"	Jas. Ryan.....	R. McFarlane.
212	aElysian.....	Garden Island	First Monday.....	"	John Agnew.....	A. Malone.
213	aDominion	Ridgeway.....	Wednesday on or before f. moon	"	W. L. Allen.....	C. H. Mathews.
214	aCraig.....	Ailsa Craig...	Monday on or after f. moon..	"	John Wells	J. H. McKay.
215	Lake.....	Ameliasburg	Monday on or before f. moon..	"	B. Rothwell.....	I. Coleman.
216	aHarris.....	Orangeville....	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	"	Hugh E. Reid	Wm. A. McLinn.
217	aFrederick.....	Delhi.....	Monday on or before f. moon..	"	J. C. Ross.....	Josh. Church.
218	aStevenson	Toronto.....	Second Monday.....	"	Geo. H. Lander	W. H. Woodstock.
219	aCredit.....	Georgetown....	Friday on or before f. moon..	"	Wm. Freeman.....	T. J. Wheeler.
220	aZaradatha	Uxbridge.....	Monday on or before f. moon..	"	I. Haggas.....	G. W. Bette.
221	aMountain.....	Thorold.....	Wednesday on or before f. moon	"	Wm. Winslow	Wm. T. Fish.
222	aMarmora.....	Mariposa.....	Tuesday before f. moon.....	"	J. L. Aunger.....	D. Fletcher.
223	aNorwood.....	Norwood.....	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	"	W. E. Roxburgh	Thos. Burke.
224	aZurich	Hensall.....	Saturday on or before full moon	"	Robt. Drysdale.....	M. Zeller.
225	aBernard.....	Listowel.....	Wednesday on or before f. moon	"	Wm. Forbes.....	Wm. Spears.
228	aPrince Arthur	Odesa	Monday after full moon.....	"	A. P. Booth.....	John A. McKay.
229	aIonic.....	Brampton	Wednesday on or before f. moon	"	Adam Morton	W. W. Woods.
230	Kerr	Barrie.....	Fourth Monday.....	"	C. W. Brown.....	C. Forbes.
231	Lodge of Fidelity...	Ottawa	Second Wednesday	"	F. H. Leggett.....	Wm. C. Teague.
232	aCameron.....	Wallacetown	Wednesday on or before f. moon	"	R. Jordan.....	Neil McLean.
233	aDoric	Park Hill	Tuesday on or before full moon	"	Wm. Caw	E. F. Stephenson.
234	aBeaver	Clarksburg	Tuesday on or after full moon	"	W. Hunter.....	J. H. Dickenson.
235	Aldworth.....	Peasley.....	Friday on or before full moon	"	P. McLaren	F. Sinclair.
236	aManitoba.....	Bondhead	Tuesday on or after full moon	"	T. S. Patterson..	Ed. Jeffa.
237	Vienna.....	Vienna	Friday before full moon.....	"	Jno. H. Teall.....	John Dean.
238	Havelock.....	Watford.....	Tuesday before full moon	"	S. Howden.....	Thos. B. Taylor.
239	Tweed.....	Tweed	Friday on or before full moon	"	Wm. Wray	O. S. Hicks.
241	aQuinte.....	Shannonville..	Tuesday on or after full moon	"	John Kemp	C. E. Clark.

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NO.	LODGE.	WHERE HELD.	NIGHT OF MEETING.	W. MASTER.	SECRETARY.
242	aMacoy.....	Essex Front..	Monday on or before full moon	L. A. Betts.....	Reuben Field.
243	aSt. George.....	St. George....	Thursday on or before full moon	E. E. Kitchin....	R. G. Laurason.
245	aTecumseh.....	Thamesville..	Tuesday on or before full moon	John Davidson....	A. J. Campbell.
247	aAshlar.....	Yorkville....	Fourth Tuesday.....	B. Pearcey.....	Wm. Roal.
248	aEureka.....	Pakenham....	Wednesday after full moon....	Robt. Burns.....	Jas. A. Scott.
249	aCaledonian.....	Angus.....	Tuesday on or after full moon	Jas. H. Hatch....	John Fungelly.
250	aThistle.....	Embro.....	Thursday on or before f. moon	S. B. Willson....	John Ross.
253	aMinden.....	Kingston.....	First Monday.....	John F. McEwen..	G. W. Andrews.
254	aClifton.....	Clifton.....	Thursday on or before f. moon	John Mills.....	L. Sewell.
255	aSydenham.....	Dresden.....	Wednesday on or after f. moon	R. M. Stuart....	J. E. McVean.
256	aFarran's Point..	Farran's Point	First Wednesday.....	C. A. Summers....	C. O. Farran, Jr.
257	aGalt.....	Galt.....	Tuesday on or before full moon	Jas. Brogden....	Jas. M. Qua.
258	aGuelph.....	Guelph.....	Second Tuesday.....	J. H. Finlay.....	F. Locke.
259	aSpringfield.....	Springfield...	Monday on or before full moon	S. Badcock.....	J. B. Lucas.
260	aWashington.....	Petrolia.....	First Tuesday.....	Wm. H. Taylor....	Jas. Peat.
261	aOak Branch.....	Innerkip.....	Thursday on or before f. moon	John Beattie....	Chas. E. Foster.
262	aHarriston.....	Harriston.....	Monday on or after full moon	Jas. Smith.....	Alex. Yule.
263	aForest.....	Forest.....	Wednesday on or before f. moon	Thos. Jones.....	W. Barnett.
264	aChaudiere.....	Ottawa.....	First Monday.....	Levi Booth.....	W. A. Jamieson.
265	aPatterson.....	Thornhill.....	Thursday on or before f. moon	John C. Steele....	T. A. Hewitt.
266	aNorthern Light..	Stayner.....	Tuesday before full moon.....	J. C. Campbell....	H. W. Selby.
267	aParthenon.....	Chatham.....	First Wednesday.....	W. H. Sparring....	Chas. Dunlop.
268	aVerulam.....	Bobcaygeon...	Last Friday.....	J. H. Thompson...	John L. Read.
269	aBrougham Union.	Brougham.....	Wednesday on or after f. moon	John Palmer.....	Rev. T. Booker.
270	aCedar.....	Oshawa.....	Fourth Tuesday.....	Alex. Mackie.....	C. W. Smith.
271	aWellington.....	Erin.....	Wednesday on or before f. moon	Jas. Hamilton....	Wm. Conboy.



272	Seymour	Ancester	Wednesday on or before f. moon	monthly	E. Kenrich	W. B. Donnelly.
274	a Kent	Blenheim	Monday on or before full moon	"	John Nichol	Jas. Winterborn.
276	Teeswater	Teeswater	Friday on or before full moon	"	A. H. Thecker	B. S. B. Hadley.
277	a Seymour	Pt. Dalhousie	Wednesday on or before f. moon	"	M. Henry	John Green.
278	Mystic	Rodin	Thursday before full moon	"	Alex. McMullen	B. Hudson.
279	New Hope	Hespeler	Wednesday on or before f. moon	"	A. B. Jardine	E. Bolduc.
280	Mount Sinai	Napanee	First Thursday	"	A. H. Allison	A. L. Morden.
281	a Thorne	Hol'd Landing	First Tuesday	"	D. L. Ellerby	O. Floyd.
282	Lorne	Glencoe	Thursday on or before f. moon	"	G. M. Harrison	C. W. Berrington.
283	a Eureka	Belleville	Wednesday after full moon	"	P. H. Hamby	Wm. Sutherland.
284	a St. John's	Brussels	Tuesday on or before full moon	"	J. M. McIntosh	W. C. Davis.
285	Seven Star	Alliston	Wednesday on or before f. moon	"	Wm. Wright	P. C. Macnee.
286	a Wingham	Wingham	Tuesday before full moon	"	J. A. Morton	Jos. Reading.
287	a Shuniah	P. Arthur's L.	Tuesday on or before full moon	"	A. W. Thompson	G. H. Kennedy.
289	a Doric	Lobo	Thursday on or before f. moon	"	A. McGagan	T. R. Powell.
290	a Leamington	Leamington	Thursday on or before f. moon	"	W. C. Coulson	Byron Lane.
291	a Dufferin	W. Flamboro	Thursday on or before f. moon	"	J. B. Plaston	Geo. H. Ford.
292	a Robertson	Nobleton	Wednesday on or before f. moon	"	Hugh Kennedy	John Robinson.
293	a Royal Sol. Mother	Jerusalem, Pal.	First Wednesday	"	S. Bergelm	Wm. Elze.
294	a Moore	Mooretown	Thursday on or before f. moon	"	Geo. Lealie	G. B. Johnston.
295	a Conestogo	Drayton	Tuesday on or after full moon	"	Wm. Jamieson	S. R. Dale.
296	a Temple	St. Catharines	Last Wednesday	"	A. Hodge	Wm. Pattison.
297	Preston	Preston	Friday on before full moon	"	A. Webster	H. Von Ende, Jr.
299	Victoria	Centreville	Thursday on before full moon	"	H. A. Baker	Jas. M. Smith.
300	a Mount Olivet	Thorndale	Tuesday on or before full moon	"	Noble Dickie	Robt. Smith.
301	a Hanover	Hanover	Monday or before full moon	"	J. J. James	Frank A. Bowles.
302	St. David's	St. Thomas	Monday on or after full moon	"	A. Hess	W. G. Morgan.
303	a Blythe	Blythe	Tuesday on or after full moon	"	Lewis Thorne	C. E. Tanner.
304	a Minerva	Craigvale	Tuesday on or after full moon	"	C. H. Bosanko	W. H. Mulholland.
305	a Humber	Weston	Wednesday on or before f. moon	"	John Paxton	Robt. Wood.
306	Durham	Durham	Tuesday on or before full moon	"	H. W. Mockler	Geo. Russell.
307	a Arkona	Arkona	Thursday on or before f. moon	"	Geo. A. Dunn	S. Rouleston.

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NO.	LODGE.	WHERE HELD.	NIGHT OF MEETING.	W. MASTER.	SECRETARY.
308	a Grafton	Grafton	Tuesday on or before full moon	T. N. Webster	Wm. Lawless.
309	a Morning Star	Smith's Hill	Wednesday on or before f. moon	Wm. Bailie	John Watson.
311	a Blackwood	Woodbridge	Friday on or before full moon	Joel Reaman	Geo. Mason.
312	a Pnyx	Wallaceburg	Monday on or before full moon	Peter Crawford	Chas. Chubb.
313	a Clementi	Lakefield	First Tuesday	Geo. Cochrane	W. H. Casement.
314	a Blair	Palmerston	Friday after full moon	Thos. H. Bennetto	J. Nicoll.
315	a Clifford	Clifford	Third Monday	Jas. D. Allen	J. G. Jeffery.
316	a Doric	Toronto	Third Wednesday	W. G. Mutton	E. J. Lennox.
318	Wilnot	Baden	Friday on or after full moon	Phil. Erbach	H. Liersch.
319	a Hiram	Cheapside	Wednesday on or before f. moon	Geo. Sherk	Alf. Godwin.
320	a Chesterville	Chesterfield	Monday on or before full moon	Jas. Holmes	Ed. K. Ker.
321	a Walker	Acton West	Monday on or before full moon	W. H. Lowry	Geo. Hynds.
322	a North Star	Owen Sound	Wednesday after full moon	Robt. Edgar	John Miller.
323	a Alvinston	Alvinston	Tuesday on or after full moon	C W. Marlatt	R. Code.
324	a Temple	Hamilton	Fourth Monday	John B Young	Jas. H. Mills.
325	a Orono	Orono	Thursday on or before f. moon	Wm. Thompson	A. J. Lockhart.
326	a Zetland	Toronto	Fourth Friday	Peter B. Ball	P. G. Routh.
327	The Hammond	Wardsville	Third Tuesday	D. R. McGregan	D. Johnson.
328	Ionic	Napier	Friday before f. moon	Jas. W. Cameron	H. Thompson.
329	a King Solomon	Jarvis	Friday on or before f. moon	W. A. Howell	D. Hill.
330	a Corinthian	London East	First Tuesday	Geo. F. Childs	H. C. Simpson.
331	Fordwich	Fordwich	Thursday on or before f. moon	Stephen Brown	Jas. Hutchinson.
332	Stratford	Stratford	Second Monday	F. W. Brent	J. Baker.
333	Prince Arthur	Flesherton	Friday on or after f. moon	W. J. McFarland	T. Mullarky.
334	a Prince Arthur	Arthur	Tuesday on or before f. moon	Alex. Fraser	R. T. Stephenson.
335	a Langton	Langton	Monday on or before f. moon	O. D. DeWitt	John McKinlay.

836	a Highgate.....	Highgate	First Thursday.....	monthly	John Lee.....	A. DeCov.
837	a Myrtle.....	Port Robinson..	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	"	R. Coulter.....	O. F. Wilkins.
838	Dufferin	Welland Port..	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	"	J. E. Cohoe	D. C. Holmes.
839	a Orient.....	Don Mount.....	First Tuesday.....	"	Alex. Gibbs.....	M. A. Harper.
840	a St. John's	Pittsburg.....	Wednesday on or before f. moon	"	John Wilmet.....	P. G. Wilmet.
841	a Bruce.....	Tiverton.....	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	"	John McKellar.....	A. J. Paterson.
842	Hiram.....	Wolfe Island..	Friday on or before f. moon..	"	Jas. Horne	H. A. Hitchcock.
843	Georgina.....	Sutton	Thursday on or after f. moon..	"	Alex. Williams ..	H. R. Spooner.
844	Merrill.....	Dorchester Sta.	Thursday on or before f. moon.	"	Wm. McKay.....	W. H. Shaw.
845	Nilestown	Nilestown	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	"	Wm. Turnbull ..	W. B. Niles.
846	a Occident.....	Toronto.....	First Wednesday	"	Jas. B. Williams..	F. Donovan.
847	a Mercer.....	Fergus	Thursday after f. moon.....	"	John Tindale	H. Vincent.
848	a Georgian.....	Penetang'shine.	Thursday on or before f. moon.	"	John I. Buckley..	H. Jennings
849	a Elgin.....	St. Thomas ..	Second Tuesday.....	"	N. W. Ford.....	Thos. H. DeCew.
850	a Port Elgin.....	Port Elgin.....	Friday on or before f. moon..	"	Cyrus Carroll	J. A. McArthur.
851	a St. Mary's	St. Marys	Third Monday.....	"	J. E. Harding.....	W. Williams.
852	Granite.....	Parry Sound..	Wednesday on or before f. moon	"	Wm. McGown	O. A. Schofield.
853	Excelsior.....	Colborne.....	First Wednesday.....	"	W. L. Payne.....	T. W. Cumming.
854	a Brock.....	Cannington....	Wednesday on or before f. moon	"	J. M. Hart.....	A. E. Hirschfelder
855	Claudeboye	Perth.....	Third Monday.....	"	Wm. H. Grant.....	J. W. Berryman.
856	a River Park	Streetville.....	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	"	Wm. H. Davidson..	G. H. Falconer.
857	Waterdown	Waterdown	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	"	Wm. McDonald ..	T. J. Baker.
858	a Delaware Valley..	Delaware	Friday on or before f. moon..	"	Alex. McQueen.....	R. A. Topholme.
859	a Vittoria.....	Vittoria	Friday on or before f. moon..	"	Wm. Kennedy	Geo. L. Reid.
860	Muskoka.....	Bracebridge ..	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	"	Isaac Huber.....	Wm. Simmons.
861	a Waverley.....	Guelph.....	Fourth Tuesday.....	"	Wm. Anderson.....	Jas. Davison.
862	a Maple Leaf.....	Tara.....	Monday on or before f. moon..	"	H. W. Hicks.....	E. A. Macartney.
863	a Frontenac	Cataraqui	Tuesday on or before f. moon.	"	J. L. Haycock	W. J. Purdy.
864	a Dufferin.....	Melbourne.....	Wednesday on or before f. moon	"	D. McRae.....	John M. Corneill.
865	North Star	Roseneath.....	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	"	Thos. Lean	John Thackeray.
866	a Enlid.....	Strathroy	Thursday before f. moon.....	"	John Paine	D. M. Telford.
867	a St. George.....	Toronto.....	First Friday.....	"	H. J. M. Wilson..	John Hetherington.

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NO	LODGE.	WHERE HELD.	NIGHT OF MEETING.	W. MASTER.	SECRETARY.
368	Salem.....	Brockville..	Second Monday.....	Jas. Reynolds....	B. Gwynne.
369	aMimico.....	Lambton....	Tuesday before f. moon....	H'y T. Ide.....	C. Clayton.
370	Harmony.....	Delta.....	Wednesday on or after f. moon	Omer Brown.....	J. A. Russell.
371	aPrince of Wales..	Ottawa.....	Second Thursday.....	Samuel Rogers....	Thos. Parkinson.
372	aPalmer.....	Victoria....	Tuesday on or after f. moon..	Robt. Moore.....	Alfred Hurrell.
373	aCopestone.....	Welland....	First Thursday.....	M. W. Bridgman..	R. Morrison.
374	aKeene.....	Keene.....	First Thursday.....	Thos. Campbell..	R. English.
375	aLorne.....	Omamee.....	First Thursday.....	Wm. Miller.....	W. H. English.
376	aUnity.....	Huntsville..	First Wednesday.....	B. Wickett.....	J. R. Reece.
377	aLorne.....	Shelburne..	Wednesday after f. moon....	J. F. Belfry.....	F. J. Campbell.
378	aKing Solomon's..	Petersville...	Third Wednesday.....	M. J. Glass.....	R. R. Bland.
379	aMddlesex.....	Bryanston..	Wednesday on or before f. moon	E. Roberts.....	I. Nicholson.
380	aUnion.....	London.....	Second Monday.....	E. R. Robinson..	A. C. Stewart.
381	aKinistino.....	Prince Albert..	First Friday.....	J. C. Flett.....	T. N. Campbell.
382	Doric.....	Hamilton....	Third Monday.....	James Stiff.....	S. G. Treble.
383	aHenderson.....	W. Winchester	First Tuesday.....	Robt. Reddick....	J. A. Waterson.
384	aAlpha.....	Parkdale....	First Thursday.....	C. P. Sparling....	Thos. W. Booth.
385	aSpry.....	Beeton.....	Wednesday on or after f. moon	G. N. Clarke.....	J. C. Morrison.
386	aMcColl.....	West Lorne..	Wednesday after f. moon....	T. W. Kirkpatrick	A. McColl.
387	Lansdown.....	Lansdown....	Thursday on or before f. moon	Robt. B. Aylsworth	J. A. Bradley.
388	aHenderson.....	Uderton.....	Thursday after f. moon.....	Robt. Patterson..	Samuel Levitt.
389	aCrystal Fountain.	North Augusta	Wednesday on or before f. moon	John C. Chapman	G. Carpenter.
390	aFlorence.....	Florence.....	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	D. H. Bedford....	F. Bourne.
391	aHoward.....	Ridgetown....	Second Thursday.....	D. Cochrane.....	R. C. Young.
392	aHuron.....	Camlachie...	Wednesday on after f. moon	D. C. McIntyre...	A. Truhaler.
393	Forest.....	Chealey.....	First Tuesday.....	Jabez Stephens..	Jas. Shields.

394	King Solomon . . .	Thamesford . . .	Tuesday after f. moon	monthly	Francis Patterson.	W. McIntosh.
395	Parvalm	Comber	Thursday on or before f. moon	"	R. H. Abbott	B. B. Miller.
396	aCedar	Warton	Tuesday on or before f. moon . .	"	John Irwin	Geo. Young.
397	Leopold	Brigden	Tuesday on or after f. moon . .	"	Wm. Milner	F. G. Miller.
398	Victoria	Victoria Road . .	Second Tuesday	"	W. R. Cavana	Richard Thomas.
399	Moffat	Harrietsville . . .	Tuesday on or after f. moon . .	"	Francis Kunz	

LIST OF LODGES—BY DISTRICTS.

NO. 1—ST. CLAIR DISTRICT. (28.)

Counties of Essex, Kent, Lambton and Bothwell.

D. D. G. M.—R. W. Bro. N. J. Lindsay, Watford.

No.	84, Thistle, Amherstburg.....	Essex County.
"	41, St. George's, Kingsville.....	" "
"	47, Great Western, Windsor.....	" "
"	290, Leamington, Leamington.....	" "
"	395, Parvaim, Comber	" "
"	46, Wellington, Chatham.....	Kent "
"	245, Tecumseh, Thamesville.....	" "
"	255, Sydenham, Dresden.....	" "
"	267, Parthenon, Chatham.....	" "
"	274, Kent, Bleinheim.....	" "
"	312, Pnyx, Wallaceburg.....	" "
"	336, Highgate, Highgate	" "
"	56, Victoria, Sarnia.....	Lambton County.
"	116, Cassia, Thedford.....	" "
"	153, Burns, Wyoming.....	" "
"	158, Alexandria, Oil Springs	" "
"	194, Petrolia, Petrolia.....	" "
"	238, Havelock, Watford.....	" "
"	260, Washington, Petrolia.....	" "
"	263, Forest, Forest.....	" "
"	294, Moore, Mooretown.....	" "
"	307, Arkona, Arkona.....	" "
"	323, Alvinston, Alvinston.....	" "
"	390, Florence, Florence.....	" "
"	392, Huron, Camlachie.....	" "
"	397, Leopold, Brigden.....	" "
"	179, Bothwell, Bothwell.....	Bothwell "
"	391, Howard, Ridgetown.....	" "

NO. 2—LONDON DISTRICT. (40.)

Counties of Middlesex and Elgin, except the Township of Wyham.

D. D. G. M.—R. W. Bro. L. G. Jarvis, London.

20, St. John's, London.....	Middlesex	County..
42, St. George's, London.....	"	"
64, Kilwinning, London.....	"	"
90, Albion, Newbury.....	"	"
81, St. John's, Mount Brydges.....	"	"
88, Beaver, Strathroy.....	"	"
107, St. Paul's, Lambeth.....	"	"
154, Irving, Lucan	"	"
190, Belmont, Belmont.....	"	"
195, Tuscan, London	"	"
209a, St. John's, London.....	"	"
214, Craig, Ailsa Craig.....	"	"
233, Doric, Park Hill.....	"	"
282, Lorne, Glencoe.....	"	"
289, Doric, Lobo	"	"
300, Mount Olivet, Thorndale.....	"	"
327, The Hammond, Wardsville.....	"	"
328, Ionic, Napier.....	"	"
330, Corinthian, London East.....	"	"
344, Merrill, Dorchester Station.....	"	"
345, Nilestown, Nilestown.....	"	"
358, Delaware Valley, Delaware.....	"	"
364, Dufferin, Melbourne.....	"	"
366, Euclid, Strathroy.....	"	"
378, King Solomon's, Petersville.....	"	"
379, Middlesex, Bryanston.....	"	"
380, Union, London.....	"	"
388, Henderson, Ilderton.....	"	"
399, Moffat, Harrietsville.....	"	"

No. 44, St. Thomas, St. Thomas.....	Elgin County.
“ 94, St. Mark's, Port Stanley.....	“ “
“ 120, Warren, Fingal.....	“ “
“ 140, Malahide, Aylmer.....	“ “
“ 171, Prince of Wales, Iona.....	“ “
“ 176, Spartan, Sparta.....	“ “
“ 282, Cameron, Wallacetown.....	“ “
“ 259, Springfield, Springfield.....	“ “
“ 802, St. David's, St. Thomas.....	“ “
“ 849, Elgin, St. Thomas.....	“ “
“ 386, McColl, West Lorne.....	“ “

NO. 3—WILSON DISTRICT. (27.)

Counties of Norfolk, Oxford, Brant, and Township of Bayham in Elgin.

D. D. G. M.—R. W. Bro. Wm. Kennedy, Vittoria.

No. 10, Norfolk, Simcoe.....	Norfolk County.
“ 118, Wilson, Waterford.....	“ “
“ 149, Erie, Port Dover.....	“ “
“ 174, Walsingham, Port Rowan.....	“ “
“ 217, Frederick, Delhi.....	“ “
“ 835, Langton, Langton.....	“ “
“ 859, Vittoria, Vittoria.....	“ “
“ 87, King Hiram, Ingersoll.....	Oxford County.
“ 48, King Solomon, Woodstock.....	“ “
“ 68, St. John's, Ingersoll.....	“ “
“ 76, Oxford, Woodstock.....	“ “
“ 78, King Hiram, Tilsonburg.....	“ “
“ 95, Ridout, Otterville.....	“ “
“ 104, St. John's, Norwichville.....	“ “
“ 108, Bleinheim, Drumbo.....	“ “
“ 178, Plattsville, Plattsville	“ “
“ 250, Thistle, Embro.....	“ “
“ 261, Oak Branch, Innerkip.....	“ “
“ 394, King Solomon, Thamesford.....	“ “

No.	45, Brant, Brantford.....	Brant County.
"	82, St. John's, Paris.....	" "
"	106, Burford, Burford	" "
"	121, Doric, Brantford.....	" "
"	193, Scotland, Scotland.....	" "
"	243, St. George, St. George.....	" "
"	181, Oriental, Port Burwell.....	Elgin County.
"	237, Vienna, Vienna.....	" "

NO. 4—HURON DISTRICT. (80.)

Counties of Huron, Perth and Bruce.

D. D. G. M.—R. W. Bro. R. Radcliffe, Goderich.

No.	33, Goderich, Goderich.....	Huron County.
"	84, Clinton, Clinton.....	" "
"	112, Maitland, Goderich.....	" "
"	133, Lebanon Forest, Exeter.....	" "
"	162, Forest, Wroxeter.....	" "
"	170, Britannia, Seaforth.....	" "
"	224, Zurich, Zurich.....	" "
"	284, St. John's, Brussels.....	" "
"	286, Wingham, Wingham.....	" "
"	303, Blyth, Blyth.....	" "
"	309, Morning Star, Smith's Hills.....	" "
"	331, Fordwich, Fordwich.....	" "
"	73, St. James, St. Mary's.....	Perth County.
"	141, Tudor, Mitchell.....	" "
"	144, Tecumseh, Stratford.....	" "
"	225, Bernard, Listowel.....	" "
"	332, Stratford, Stratford.....	" "
"	351, St. Mary's, St. Mary's.....	" "
"	93, Northern Light, Kincardine.....	Bruce County.
"	131, St. Lawrence, Southampton.....	" "
"	134, Old Light, Lucknow.....	" "
"	197, Saugeen, Walkerton.....	" "

No. 285, Aldworth, Paisley.....	Bruce County.
“ 276, Teeswater, Teeswater.....	“ “
“ 801, Hanover, Hanover.....	“ “
“ 841, Bruce, Tiverton.....	“ “
“ 850, Port Elgin, Port Elgin.....	“ “
“ 862, Maple Leaf, Tara.....	“ “
“ 898, Forest, Chesley	“ “
“ 896, Cedar, Wiarton... ..	“ “

NO. 5—WELLINGTON DISTRICT. (21.)

Counties of Waterloo and Wellington.

D. D. G. M.—R. W. Bro. John Scoon, Guelph.

No. 72, Alma, Galt.....	Waterloo County.
“ 151, The Grand River, Berlin.....	“ “
“ 172, Ayr, Ayr.....	“ “
“ 205, New Dominion, New Hamburg..	“ “
“ 257, Galt, Galt.....	“ “
“ 279, New Hope, Hespeler.....	“ “
“ 297, Preston, Preston.....	“ “
“ 818, Wilmot, Baden.....	“ “
“ 180, Speed, Guelph.....	Wellington County
“ 200, St. Alban's, Mount Forest.....	“ “
“ 208, Irvine, Elora.....	“ “
“ 216, Harris, Orangeville.....	“ “
“ 258, Guelph, Guelph.....	“ “
“ 262, Harriston, Harriston.....	“ “
“ 271, Wellington, Erin.....	“ “
“ 295, Conestogo, Drayton.....	“ “
“ 814, Blair, Palmerston.....	“ “
“ 815, Clifford, Clifford.....	“ “
“ 895, Prince Arthur, Arthur.....	“ “
“ 847, Mercer, Fergus.....	“ “
“ 861, Waverley, Guelph.....	“ “

NO. 6—HAMILTON DISTRICT. (17.)

Counties of Wentworth and Halton, and the Village of Caledonia in the County of Haldimand.

D. D. G. M.—R. W. Bro. Thos. Clark, Dundas.

No.	6, Barton, Hamilton.....	Wentworth County.
"	27, Strict Observance, Hamilton.....	" "
"	40, St. John's, Hamilton.....	" "
"	57, Harmony, Binbrook.....	" "
"	61, Acacia, Hamilton.....	" "
"	100, Valley, Dundas.....	" "
"	166, Wentworth, Stoney Creek.....	" "
"	272, Seymour, Ancaster.....	" "
"	291, Dufferin, West Flamboro'.....	" "
"	324, Temple, Hamilton.....	" "
"	357, Waterdown, Waterdown	" "
"	382, Doric, Hamilton.....	" "
"	135, St. Clair, Milton.....	Halton County.
"	165, Burlington, Burlington.....	" "
"	219, Credit, Georgetown.....	" "
"	321, Walker, Acton West.....	" "
"	62, St. Andrew's, Caledonia.....	Haldimand County.

NO. 7—NIAGARA DISTRICT. (23.)

Counties of Lincoln, Haldimand and Welland, except the Village of Caledonia, in the County of Haldimand.

D. D. G. M.—R. W. Bro. J. M. Dunn, Welland.

No.	2, Niagara, Niagara.....	Lincoln County.
"	7, Union, Grimsby.....	" "
"	15, St. George's, St. Catharines.....	" "
"	103, Maple Leaf, St. Catharines.....	" "
"	115, Ivy, Beamsville.....	" "
"	277, Seymour, Port Dalhousie.....	" "

No. 296, Temple, St. Catharines.....	Lincoln County.
" 338, Dufferin, Welland Port.....	" "
" 82, Amity, Dunnville.....	Haldimand County.
" 85, St. John's, Cayuga.....	" "
" 185, Enniskillen, York.....	" "
" 319, Hiram, Cheapside.....	" "
" 329, King Solomon, Jarvis.....	" "
" 86, Welland, Fonthill.....	Welland County.
" 105, St. Mark's, Drummondville.....	" "
" 168, Merritt, Welland.....	" "
" 169, Macnabb, Port Colborne	" "
" 218, Dominion, Ridgeway.....	" "
" 221, Mountain, Thorold.....	" "
" 254, Clifton, Clifton.....	" "
" 337, Myrtle, Port Robinson.....	" "
" 372, Palmer, Victoria.....	" "
" 378, Copestone, Welland.....	" "

NO. 8—TORONTO DISTRICT. (88.)

Counties of York and Peel, and the Township of Uxbridge,
in Ontario County.

D. D. G. M.—R. W. Bro. John Fisher, Eglington.

No. 16, St. Andrew's, Toronto.....	York County.
" 22, King Solomon's, Toronto.....	" "
" 28, Richmond, Richmond Hill.....	" "
" 25, Ionic, Toronto.....	" "
" 54, Vaughan, Maple.....	" "
" 65, Rehoboam, Toronto.....	" "
" 75, St. John's, Toronto.....	" "
" 86, Wilson, Toronto.....	" "
" 87, Markham Union, Markham.....	" "
" 97, Sharon, Sharon.....	" "
" 99, Tuscan, Newmarket.....	" "
" 110 Union, Schomberg	" "

No. 129,	The Rising Sun, Aurora.....	York County.
“ 186,	Richardson, Stouffville.....	“ “
“ 156,	York, Eglinton.....	“ “
“ 218,	Stevenson, Toronto.....	“ “
“ 247,	Ashlar, Yorkville.....	“ “
“ 265,	Patterson, Thornhill.....	“ “
“ 281,	Thorne, Holland Landing.....	“ “
“ 292,	Robertson, Nobleton.....	“ “
“ 305,	Humber, Weston.....	“ “
“ 311,	Blackwood, Woodbridge.....	“ “
“ 316,	Doric, Toronto.....	“ “
“ 326,	Zetland, Toronto.....	“ “
“ 339,	Orient, Don Mount.....	“ “
“ 348,	Georgina, Sutton.....	“ “
“ 346,	Occident, Toronto.....	“ “
“ 367,	St. George, Toronto.....	“ “
“ 369,	Mimico, Islington.....	“ “
“ 384,	Alpha, Parkdale.....	“ “
“ 329,	Ionic, Brampton.....	Peel County.
“ 356,	River Park, Streetsville.....	“ “
“ 220,	Zeredatha, Uxbridge.....	Ontario County.

NO. 9—GEORGIAN DISTRICT. (25.)

Counties of Simcoe, Grey and Cardwell, the Algoma, Muskoka and Parry Sound Districts, and the North-West Territories.

D. D. G. M.—R. W. Bro. John Creasor, Owen Sound.

No. 79,	Simcoe, Bradford.....	Simcoe County.
“ 90,	Manito, Collingwood.....	“ “
“ 96,	Corinthian, Barrie.....	“ “
“ 192,	Orillia, Orillia.....	“ “
“ 230,	Kerr, Bell Ewart.....	“ “
“ 286,	Manitoba, Bond Head.....	“ “
“ 249,	Caledonian, Angus.....	“ “

No. 266, Northern Light, Stayner.....	Simcoe County.
" 285, Seven Star, Alliston.....	" "
" 304, Minerva, Craigvale.....	" "
" 348, Georgian, Penetanguishene.....	" "
" 385, Spry, Beeton.....	" "
" 88, St. George's, Owen Sound.....	Grey County.
" 137, Pythagoras, Meaford.....	" "
" 234, Beaver, Clarksburg.....	" "
" 306, Durham, Durham.....	" "
" 322, North Star, Owen Sound.....	" "
" 333, Prince Arthur, Flesherton.....	" "
" 377, Lorne, Shelburne.....	" "
" 98, True Blue, Albion.....	Caldwell County.
" 287, Shuniah, Prince Arthur's Land'g.	Algoma District.
" 352, Granite, Parry Sound.....	Parry Sound Dis't.
" 360, Muskoka, Bracebridge.....	Muskoka District.
" 376, Unity, Huntsville.....	" "
" 381, Kinistino, Prince Albert.....	N. W. Territories.

NO. 10—ONTARIO DISTRICT. (32.)

Counties of Northumberland, Durham, Ontario, Victoria and Peterborough, (except the Township of Uxbridge in Ontario County).

D. D. G. M.—R. W. Bro. E. H. D. Hall, Peterborough.

No. 17, St. John's, Cobourg.....	Northumberland Co.
" 29, United, Brighton.....	" "
" 91, Colborne, Colborne.....	" "
" 126, Golden Rule, Campbellford.....	" "
" 161, Percy, Warkwork.....	" "
" 308, Grafton, Grafton.....	" "
" 353, Excelsior, Colborne.....	" "
" 365, North Star, Roseneath.....	" "
" 26, Ontario, Port Hope.....	Durham County.
" 31, Jerusalem, Bowmanville.....	" "

Durham, Newcastle.....	Durham County.
Hope, Port Hope.....	" "
. B. Hall, Millbrook.....	" "
Orono, Orono.....	" "
Composite, Whitby.....	Ontario County.
Mount Zion, Brooklin.....	" "
Lebanon, Oshawa.....	" "
Prince Albert, Port Perry.....	" "
Brougham Union, Brougham....	" "
Nedar, Oshawa.....	" "
Brook, Cannington.....	" "
Faithful Brethren, Lindsay.....	Victoria County.
King Hiram, Lindsay.....	" "
Verulam, Bobcaygeon.....	" "
Borne, Omemee.....	" "
Victoria, Victoria Road.....	" "
Corinthian, Peterboro'.....	Peterboro' County.
Hastings, Hastings.....	" "
Peterboro', Peterboro'.....	" "
Norwood, Norwood.....	" "
Elementi, Lakefield.....	" "
Keene, Keene.....	" "

NO. 11—PRINCE EDWARD DISTRICT, (22.)

s of Lennox, Hastings, Prince Edward and Ad-

G. M.—R. W. Bro. W. L. Hamilton, Belleville.

Union, Napanee.....	Lennox County.
Filius Viduæ, Adolphustown.....	" "
Mount Sinai, Napanee.....	" "
Moirs, Belleville.....	Hastings County.
Trent, Trenton.....	" "
Madoc, Madoc.....	" "
Stirling, Stirling.....	" "
The Belleville, Belleville.....	" "

No. 127, Franck, Frankfort.....	Hastings County.
" 222, Marmora, Marmora.....	" "
" 289, Tweed, Tweed.....	" "
" 241, Quinte, Shannonville.....	" "
" 278, Mystic, Roslin.....	" "
" 288, Eureka, Belleville.....	" "
" 18, Prince Edward, Picton.....	Prince Edward Co
" 50, Consecon, Consecon.....	" "
" 164, Star in the East, Wellington....	" "
" 215, Lake, Ameliasburg.....	" "
" 119, Maple Leaf, Bath.....	Addington County
" 146, Prince of Wales, Newburg.....	" "
" 228, Prince Arthur, Odessa.....	" "
" 299, Victoria, Centreville.....	" "

NO. 12—ST. LAWRENCE DISTRICT. (28.)

Counties of Frontenac, Leeds, Grenville, Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry.

D. D. G. M.—R. W. Bro. G. H. Kenning, Prescott.

No. 3, The Ancient St. John's, Kingston.	Frontenac County.
" 92, Cataraqui, Kingston.....	" "
" 109, Albion, Harrowsmith.....	" "
" 212, Elysian, Garden Island.....	" "
" 258, Minden, Kingston.....	" "
" 340, St. John's, Pittsburg.....	" "
" 342, Hiram, Wolfe Island.....	" "
" 363, Frontenac, Cataraqui.....	" "
" 5, Sussex, Brockville.....	Leeds County.
" 85, Rising Sun, Farmersville.....	" "
" 157, Simpson, Newboro'.....	" "
" 201, Leeds, Gananoque.....	" "
" 242, Macoy, Escott Front.....	" "
" 368, Salem, Brockville.....	" "
" 370, Harmony, Delta.....	" "
" 387, Lansdown, Lansdown.....	" "

28, Mount Zion, Kemptville	Grenville County.
55, Merrickville, Merrickville.....	" "
74, St. James, Maitland.....	" "
110, Central, Prescott.....	" "
389, Crystal Fountain, North Augusta.	" "
125, Cornwall, Cornwall.....	Stormont County.
256, Farran's Point, Farran's Point...	" "
142, Excelsior, Morrisburg.....	Dundas County.
148, Friendly Brothers, Iroquois.....	" "
320, Chesterville, Chesterville.....	" "
282, Henderson, West Winchester....	" "
207, Lancaster, Lancaster.....	Glengarry County.

NO. 18—OTTAWA DISTRICT. (20.)

Counties of Lanark, Carleton, Renfrew, Prescott and Russell.

D. D. G. M.—R. W. Bro. E. B. Butterworth, Ottawa.

14, True Britons, Perth.....	Lanark County.
24, St. Francis, Smith's Falls.....	" "
68, St. John's, Carleton Place.....	" "
147, Mississippi, Almonte.....	" "
209, Evergreen, Lanark	" "
248, Eureka, Pakenham	" "
255, Clandeboye, Perth.....	" "
52, Dalhousie, Ottawa.....	Carleton County
58, Doric, Ottawa	" "
148, Civil Service, Ottawa.....	" "
159, Goodwood, Richmond	" "
177, The Builders, Ottawa	" "
281, Lodge of Fidelity, Ottawa.....	" "
264, Chaudiere, Ottawa	" "
871, Prince of Wales, Ottawa	" "
122, Renfrew, Renfrew.....	Renfrew County.
128, Pembroke, Pembroke.....	" "
196, Madawaska, Arnprior.....	" "

No. 186, Plantagenet, Plantagenet.....Prescott County.
 " 210, Hawkesbury, Hawkesbury..... " "

NOT ATTACHED TO ANY DISTRICT.

No. 298, Royal Solomon Mother, Jerusalem, Palestine.

RECAPITULATION.

No. 1 St. Clair District.....	28	Lodges
" 2 London "	40	"
" 3 Wilson "	27	"
" 4 Huron "	30	"
" 5 Wellington "	21	"
" 6 Hamilton "	17	"
" 7 Niagara "	23	"
" 8 Toronto "	33	"
" 9 Georgian "	25	"
" 10 Ontario "	32	"
" 11 Prince Edward "	22	"
" 12 St. Lawrence "	28	"
" 13 Ottawa "	20	"
Unattached.....	1	"
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Total	347	

SUSPENSIONS—UNMASONIC CONDUCT.

No. of Lodge.	
54	J. N. Reid.
64	Jacob Harens, Wm. J. Smyth.
96	John Livingstone.
100	Wm. B. Williams.
120	D. Campbell.
184	Geo. Gray.
225	Geo. Donnelly.
235	Thos. Pinkerton, M. Irwin, Alex. McIntosh, J. Brandt, J. Munn, Jas. Dougan, A. McArthur.

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e, H. L. Slack, T. Walsh.

ld, W. B. Allen, F. Connor, M. Hanniford, J.
ea, N. H. Staats, Geo. S. Yokum.

elman, P. Dendy, Wm. Mundle, R. H. Smith,
odcock, R. Atkinson, D. H. Hogg, P. McNabb,
mple, R. H. Boyle, G. A. Burnham.

Taylor, W. Wood, E. Murphy, Geo. Hunt, C.
, C. Holmes, R. Potter, P. Wyekoff, E. Glack-
R. Waddell, Wm. Dodds, M. H. Gray, Wm.
J. E. McGloghlon, M. F. McTaggart, Lewis
, F. Stiles.

nham, A. E. Gilbert, J. M. Hamilton, J. Jack-
John Kay, J. Lucas, H. G. Morrow, N. Mc-
John McMahon, John McDougall, B. L.
cott, C. E. Romaine, S. R. Richardson, P.
er, Jas. E. Smith, J. Templeman, J. S.
pson, John Terry, J. H. Wiggins, O. T. Wright,
ong, E. Milliken, Hugh Kidd, J. Norton.

llen, H. McCutcheon.

ad, A. McPhail, P. G. Newman, Geo. New-

ll, B. W. Gossage, M. H. Hirschberg, W. H.

wkins, H. Walker, W. R. Herriman, H. Ross,
Garnett, G. Mackie, John L. Thompson.

E. Wilde, Wm. White, R. G. Sutherland, D.

No. of
Lodge.

- 29 W. A. Courson, G. Henwood, S. P. Gross, W. Martin,
R. E. Bullock, J. F. Rolls, J. E. Lockwood, J. D.
Mackenzie, R. B. Macklam.
- 31 Levi A. Toole, S. Burden, J. K. Galbraith, Alex. Keith.
- 32 M. Gash, J. Fry, C. Oldfield, T. M. Campbell, P. Shaf-
ley, G. Middaugh, W. A. Ewing, O. T. Heartnill.
- 39 Thos. Robinson, T. P. Wyatte, G. H. Harper.
- 40 R. R. Waddell, T. A. Ashbaugh, Alex. Young, J. F. L.
Holman, R. R. McDonald, C. F. Domville, Geo.
Lambert, Jas. Whedden.
- 42 D. F. Cordingly.
- 43 J. E. Thacker, J. A. Gunn, H. Fitzsimons, John Payne,
M. Burgess, T. Pitcher, C. Livingston.
- 44 M. P. Whipple, S. Day, D. Drake, A. A. Drake, J. Cole,
J. J. Bourne, H. Thompson.
- 45 F. A. Irwin, L. M. Jones, A. B. G. Tisdale, Thos.
Watt, Jas. Watt.
- 46 J. J. Kimmerly, Geo. H. Holmes, John Dunoon.
- 47 J. A. Dougall, Jas. Foster, W. Shorland, A. W. Joyce,
F. Washburn, C. Scadding, W. Trebble, Jas. Ram-
sey.
- 50 John Batton.
- 61 Geo. Hooker.
- 62 E. H. Dillabough, Wm. Jackson, H. Stewart, Jas.
Trotter, Wm. Beckerson, A. F. Smith.
- 63 H. C. Guthrie, C. R. Church, S. Bell, B. Code.
- 64 H. W. Crack, T. Wastie.
- 65 J. L. Beemer, T. Caron, Geo. H. Flint, J. L. Foster,
J. F. Guest, W. F. Matthews, W. E. Murray, S. R.
Quigley, H. F. Quelch, J. H. G. Wiedinger, W. S.
Young.
- 68 J. J. Hoyt, R. A. Woodcock, J. Haskett, Geo. Kelly,
J. T. W. Keen, S. Tripp, W. W. Griffy, W. H.
Waters, R. H. Agur.
- 72 W. S. Burnett, S. L. Burnett, Geo. Barber.

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- 73 Geo. Ross, R. T. Barbour, Jas. Somerville, J. B. Hudson.
- 76 T. D. Watson, R. W. Magee.
- 84 D. McDonald, W. Johnson.
- 86 J. H. Free, C. Peacock, A. W. Peckmeyer.
- 89 F. R. Weston.
- 90 D. W. Port, A. Collins, E. Seager.
- 92 C. F. W. Browne, Wm, Johnston, Geo. W. Leslie.
- 98 Thos. Bradley, Jas. Crozier, G. W. B. Cuthbertson, M. MacLean, R. Morrison, Neil Smith.
- 97 E. Mead, A. W. Moore.
- 103 A. W. Bessey, T. H. Bush, J. S. Bowman, G. W. Cole, W. S. Downey, W. H. Fletcher, J. L. Gray, Alex. Howell, S. Hopkins.
- 105 Geo. Barnhardt, J. Morningstar, D. Morningstar, S. Barnett, John Pew, John Wills.
- 106 J. E. McWilliams, S. Eakins.
- 107 A. McMillan, J. Orr, J. McMartin, H'y Coombs, S. Hands, R. Summers, Samuel Crawford, A. E. Griffith, Jas. Sifton.
- 108 Jas. W. Trenaman.
- 110 T. S. Detler, C. H. Lennan.
- 112 Godwin Campagne.
- 120 Jas. McIntosh, R. L. Neely, R. Lethbridge.
- 121 B. F. Cheeseboro.
- 125 E. Ashton, T. Wildon, J. H. Vanarsdale, A. F. McIntyre, John Adams, B. M. Eastman, J. Ridley, W. H. Shaver, J. C. McDougall, A. McRae, W. H. Murcheson, E. L. Dickinson.
- 137 S. Acheson, J. Agar, A. Boice, J. Bell, W. C. Freeman, T. P. Wadsworth.
- 139 John Brooks, John Harrison, T. Bassitt, J. W. Roy.
- 140 J. L. Becker.
- 147 W. Scrimgeour, H'y Flett, Jas. Scrimgeour, W. H. Chambers, C. Holbrook.

No of
Lodge.

- 148 Grant Seymour.
158 Jas. Ennis.
155 B. Brown.
158 John McConn, John Duggan, A. G. Elliott, H. Cameron.
161 M. H. Fieldhouse, P. G. Goldsmith, J. B. Lay, B. H.
Humphries, Wm. Stone, J. H. Holmes, D. J. Green.
165 T. J. C. Green.
170 Jas. Darling.
172 J. Shoemaker, W. H. Ward, C. A. N. Schlemmer, W.
Henderson, R. Ross, P. Souter.
176 J. Pritchard.
177 A. Aitchison, J. W. Whiteford.
178 H. N. Brandon, C. Livingston.
180 A. R. Davis.
181 E. S. McCollum, O. Scealy.
184 J. Bennett, Geo. Smith, N. R. McGregor.
201 J. W. Astler, J. D. Birmingham.
208 John Croyden, C. E. Perry.
207 Geo. H. Parker, John Semple, D. Songster, H. Samuels,
A. McRae, J. G. McNaughton, J. R. McKenzie,
Wm. Nicholson.
209a John Weir, A. J. B. Macdonald, Wm. Platt.
215 J. M. Cunningham, J. C. Ash, J. C. Spurr, D. B.
McFaul.
216 Thos. Wardrobe.
217 R. Stodard.
219 J. Clark, D. Harley, T. H. Burns, John Wrenshall.
220 A. M. Gilpin, E. Maunder, J. P. Hemphill, D. Mc-
Carthy, J. E. Walks, J. Brown.
222 Jas. Nichol, John Beddome, H'y Lake, B. O. Lott.
229 J. Dodds, T. Murdock, W. Mahaffy, D. L. Scott, R.
Madden, J. T. Merry, John James.
284 W. H. Bickle.
285 W. G. McCormick, S. Young, Thos. McVitty.

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- 11 N. S. Appleby, T. Crumpton, J. P. Fullerton, Owin Roblin.
- 17 W. A. Phipps, H. J. P. Good, O. J. Foster.
- 19 H. J. Beyers, T. Richey, James Gregory, John Hunter, R. T. Hamilton, R. Elliott, J. Bellanger.
- 53 J. G. Craig, J. E. Rose, Samuel Woods, J. Read.
- 55 R. J. Powell, W. H. Minnaker, H. E. Leonard, S. Clark.
- 57 C. Faust, C. Clark.
- 58 Wm. Laing, Wm. McElroy, J. N. Richwood.
- 36 John Johnston.
- 37 J. B. Blair, M. S. Richmond.
- 71 H. S. Jones, Wm. Church.
- 37 Wm. McL. Maingy, D. E. Bethune, Richard Fox.
- 39 Dougald McMurphy, A. McMurphy, Duncan McMurphy.
- 44 N. Carpenter, S. Burnham, M. Day, E. Copeland, John Farquharson, V. C. Maybee, T. Langford, J. R. McKinnon.
- 10 M. Forster, M. Chalcroft, R. Conn, Jas. Conn, Jas. McLeod, Jas. Elgie, A. W. Tennant.
- 08 W. L. Milne.
- 06 Charles McArthur.
- 09 James Parker.
- 12 J. L. Lampman, G. McGregor, W. C. Barnes, H. Bolton, John A. Sewell, Jas. L. Mc. Donald, John Harley, I. L. Dolson.
- 14 J. M. Mundle, A. I. Thompson.
- 18 C. Faust.
- 20 Asa Beach, Wm. McKay, Wm. Gillespie.
- 25 H. Simpson, Jas. H. Barkwell.
- 26 T. R. Coates, J. Donaldson, T. C. Johnstone, Robt. Cheyne, E. Brown, E. J. Redsdale, J. T. Church, T. S. Fisher, H. McQuorquodale, Jas. R. Muir, W. D. Firstbrook, V. Switzer, A. L. Wilson.

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- 880 D. Y. Hoyt, W. M. Fairweather, A. S. Wheaton, R. Sleek, J. J. Healy.
- 887 J. B. Bennett, J. J. Seebold, R. Dawdry, A. R. Carl, W. H. O'Brien, John N. O'Brien.
- 889 Wm. J. Smith, Wm. Scott, Owen Niely.
- 841 H. M. Clarke.
- 846 B. M. Persse.
- 847 R. Ferguson, S. E. Haight, T. Henderson.
- 851 Geo. Ross, Jas. Sommerville.
- 854 W. B. Irving.
- 861 John W. Moyes.
- 868 R. W. B. Smith, M. H. Grass.
- 867 D. McKenzie, G. W. Norman, Wm. Stewart.
- 869 H. C. Guthrie.
- 872 John Jackson.
- 878 T. S. Minton, F. S. G. Thompson.
- 880 E. K. Slater, A. McPherson, J. W. Turner, J. B. Fowler, R. Wright, S. A. Logan, H'y G. Stein, Chas. G. Smith, Wm. H. Smith, Wm. Hudson, John T. Smith, F. W. Peel, John Andrews, Jr., Jas. E. Gray, Chas. A. Paul, E. Fares, John E. Waters, Hugh McIntyre, A. F. Edwards, John T. Robinson.
- 885 John Johnston.

EXPULSIONS.

None.

RESTORATIONS.

- 3 John Shepherd, Geo. F. Horsey.
- 9 John H. Phillips, Wm. N. Roberts.
- 15 H. C. Eccles.
- 18 Wm. H. Benson.
- 20 Richard Wigmore.
- 22 Thos. Williams, Jas. E. Smith, Jas. W. Gervin.

No of
Lodge.

- 32 Francis Rose, J. D. Servos, M. Farrar.
38 Thos. J. Videan.
36 W. W. Holcomb.
37 Chris. Brock.
40 Edward Porter, John J. Smith.
41 David Murray.
44 W. Armstrong, R. McCully.
46 Robt. Watt.
47 Jas. Porteous, Alfred W. Joyce.
52 W. H. Easton.
55 Alex. Greer.
58 J. P. Featherston, W. E. Loper, E. Brown, E. Leivers,
John W. Webster, Weldon Champness.
63 Irwin Stewart, John Code.
64 Peter Birtworth.
72 David Stewart.
76 Frederick G. Fauquier.
82 Geo. R. Pattallo.
83 Duncan McGregor.
86 John Donogh, Thos. S. McCool, Jos. Oliver, Thos.
Allingham.
89 J. E. Durham.
92 Joseph Woodruff.
93 Wm. Thompson, Robt. Ballantine.
100 Wm. T. Cooper.
101 Robt. Farrell.
103 W. S. Downey, Peter McCarthy, John Beck, Henry
Braund, Ostave Whittaker, Geo. W. Cole, John
McDonagh.
106 J. L. Charles, Jonathan Poole, W. B. Underhill.
107 E. Duffy.
119 Alex. Kennedy.
122 Jas. Watt, Jas. Thompson.
126 Geo. Mitchell.
129 Samuel Harris.

No. of
Lodge.

- 136 R. H. Hayles.
139 J. J. Smith.
141 R. J. Widdis.
142 John A. Bell.
146 Hiram M. Wright.
148 H. J. Garrett.
153 Jas. C. McPherson.
155 Wm. Andrews, H. S. Anderson.
156 H. T. Ide.
168 John P. Evans.
174 D. J. Ellis, John Baker.
177 Thos. Wensley, Jas. W. Dobin, Jas. Brown.
197 Jas. Hargreaves, Jos. Pinkerton.
201 John Willoughby.
207 Alex. McRae, J. R. McKenzie.
209a John Weir.
210 Samuel Curran, Sr., Jas. Wilkinson.
218 George East.
222 Adam Loucks.
224 Alex. Merner.
231 D. S. Eastwood.
234 E. Dickinson.
237 L. King, Jos. Clark.
243 Hugh J. Bell,
256 Wm. J. Wells.
259 Geo. Clunis, Jas. A. Robins, Ransom Dolbear.
265 Wm. Beach.
269 Samuel Woodruff.
276 Hugh Monaghan.
284 Wallace Simpson, W. A. Martin.
287 M. Macklim.
290 Peter Ford.
296 L. E. Badgley.
299 Nat. Wolfe.
300 M. Forster, Robt. Conn, Mark Chalcraft, Jas. Ross.
350 A. G. Fyfe.

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NO OF LODGE.	NAME.	DATE.
2	John Rousseau.....	August 16... ..1881
2	Samuel Chubbick... ..	May.....1882
3	E. H. Barker.....	No date.
3	Samuel T. Drennen	February 9.....1882
3	James Morris... ..	February 19.. ..1882
3	Joseph Watson.....	February 21.. ..1882
3	Horatio Yates... ..	March 11.. ..1882
3	John Tower.....	March 14.. ..1882
3	Alex. S. Kirkpatrick.. ..	March 30.. ..1882
5	Francis Covell.....	May 11.... ..1882
5	Edward Burns.....	July 28.....1882
6	H. B. Bull.....	August 12... ..1881
6	W. M. Mitchell.....	September 8.. ..1881
6	John Fraser.....	November 17....1881
6	J. W. Ferguson.....	No date.
6	Samuel Meadows.....	No date.
6	John Davidson.....	June 3.....1882
6	Henry Wish.....	May 16.. ..1882
7	Robert L. Gibson.....	February 21.. ..1882
10	Samual Sovereign.....	June 20..... ..1882
11	W. A. Foster.....	September 30 ..1881
11	John Northcote, Sr.....	December 25....1881
11	E. Burrell.....	March 14... ..1882
11	Samuel Hambly.. ..	May 28... ..1882
15	Theoph. Mack.....	October 25.....1881
15	D. D. Moore.....	January 8.....1882
16	F. W. Cumberland.. ..	August 4.. ..1881
16	Wm. Gooderham.....	August 21.... ..1881
16	Andrew Wilson.. ..	No date.
16	Joseph Dick	March.....1882
16	Thos. D. Harington.. ..	January 13.....1882
17	Wm. I. Stanton... ..	December 17....1880
17	John Butler.....	February 15.. ..1881
17	Wm. Jex.....	February 20 .. ..1882
18	Ben. Bristol.....	September 10 ..1881
18	H. Ellis.....	October 9... ..1881
18	C. G. Jackson.. ..	February 25.. ..1881
20	Alf. Goldsmith.....	March.. ..1881
20	Wm. McBride.. ..	May 24.... ..1881
22	Wm. Ardagh.....	July 1.....1881
23	Wm. Pollock.....	March 19.. ..1882
24	Richard Locke.....	March 20.. ..1882
25	John Moat.....	October 8.. ..1881
27	J. M. Meakins.....	May 5.....1882
27	W. H. Kittson.....	May 2.....1882
28	Wm. Stitt.....	July 30.. ..1881
29	Daniel R. Bedell.....	May 4.....1882
31	Anthony Davy.....	January 30.....1882

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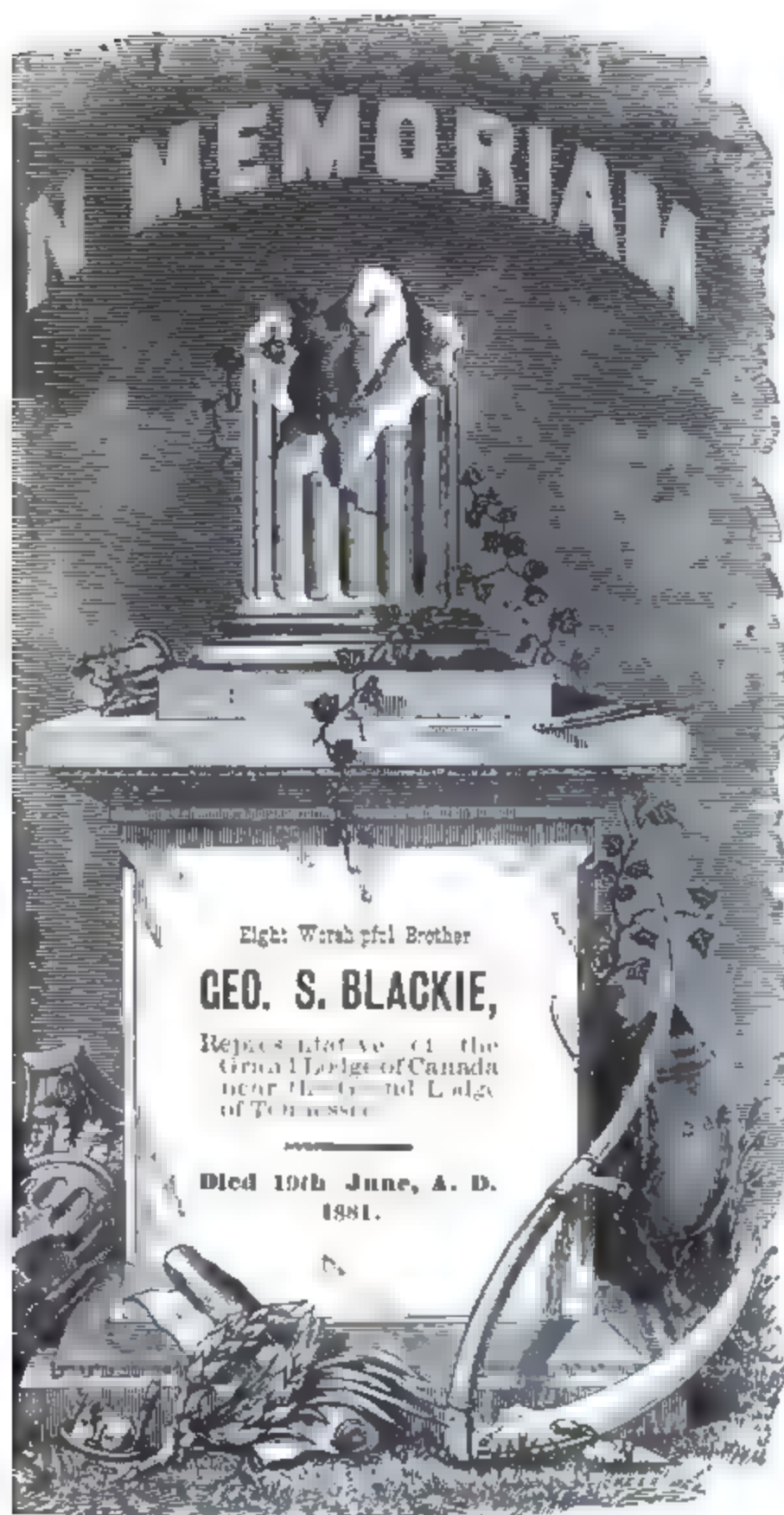
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37	Richard Chambers....	May 22... ..1881
40	John White.....	December 3... ..1881
40	John Tuckett.....	January 16.....1882
40	John Blatchford.. ..	March 26.. ..1882
42	Thos. McC. Lawrence ..	November 1 ... ..1881
42	M. O. Andrews.....	May 24.. ..1882
44	John Wegg... ..	January 1... ..1882
44	J. C. Stacey.. ..	January 8... ..1882
45	Job Trip.....	January 15.....1882
47	John Francomb.. ..	November 11....1881
47	James A. Johnston.....	May 29... ..1882
50	Gibb Squier.....	August 1.....1881
52	W. C. Macagy.....	August 9.....1881
52	James Egleson.....	March 31.. ..1882
54	James Gordon.....	September 18....1881
55	Charles Forest.....	December 24... ..1881
55	Thomas Garrett.....	November 1 ... ..1881
55	William Weir.....	February 21... ..1882
55	James Lingenfetter.....	May 6.....1882
56	John McAvoy.. .	March 24.. ..1882
61	William Ireland.....	April 21.....1882
63	James Widger.....	November 24....1881
63	Thomas Clark.....	January 10 ... ..1882
64	Stuart Irwin.....	June 7.....1881
65	George Christie....	April 20.....1882
66	John H. Fursier.....	June 17... ..1882
69	I. L. Stroger.....	June 27... ..1881
72	Frederick Sine.....	August 31... ..1881
75	Thomas Morris....	March 31.. ..1881
75	Edwin Harris.....	December 26....1881
75	Thomas H. Blundell... ..	January 20.....1882
75	James Moran.....	April.....1882
76	Robert G. Chambers....	August.. ..1881
83	D. Robertson.....	April 11.....1882
83	Hamilton Howe.. ..	March 6.....1882
85	E. Harvey... ..	June 19... ..1882
86	John Hamilton.. ..	April 28.....1882
90	L. N. Crosby.. ..	September 8... ..1881
93	Samuel A. I. Donevan ..	January 9... ..1882
96	William Todd.....	February 14.. ..1882
99	M. H. Wismer.	December 1 ... ..1881
103	R. Macdonald.. ..	December 9 ... ..1881
107	Sylvester Fortner.. ..	1882.
109	Joseph Watson.....	February 21... ..1882
110	Thomas D. Harington ..	January 13.....1882
113	Robert Maney.....	September 23 .. 1881

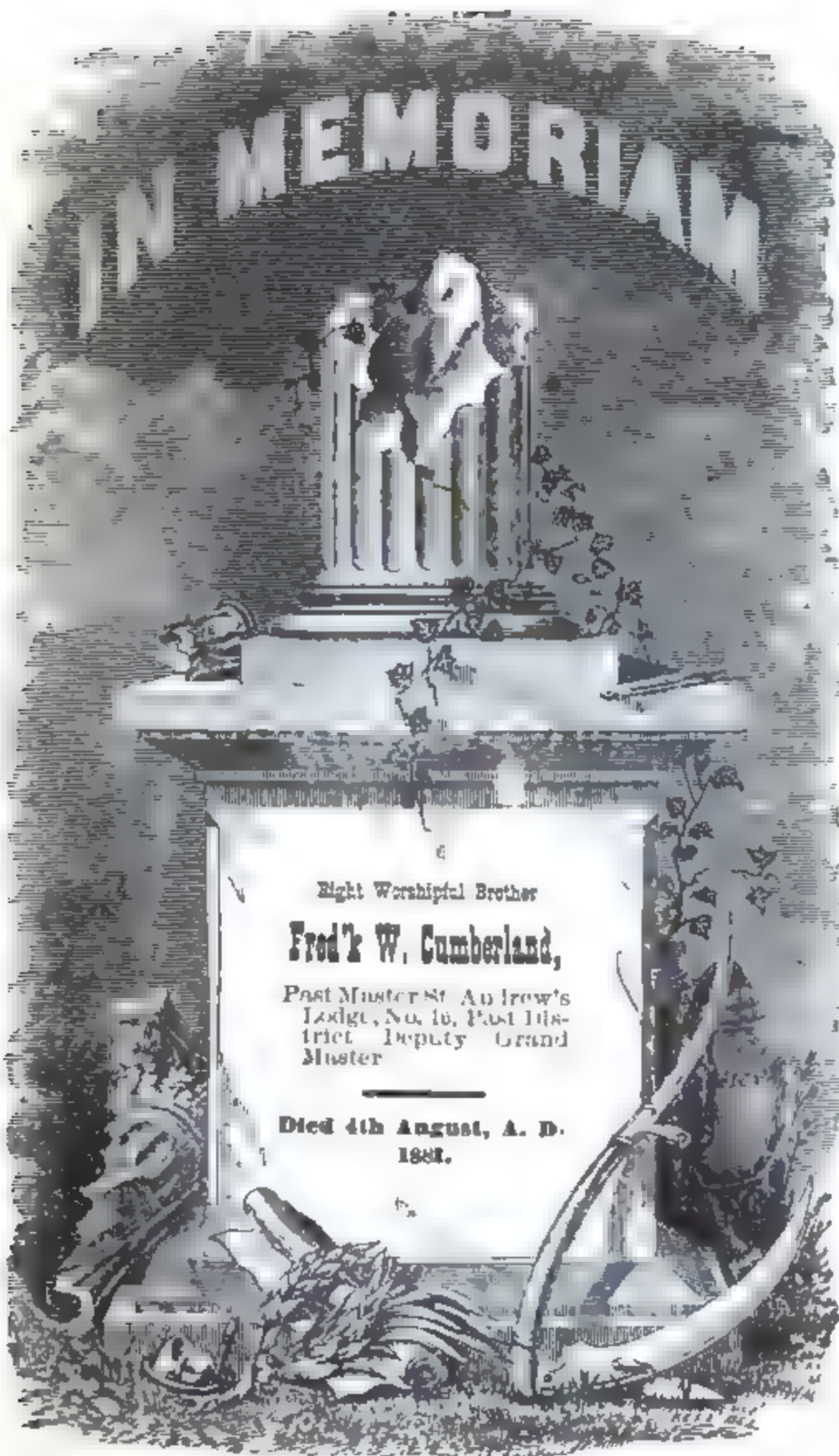
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NO. OF LODGE	NAME.	DATE.
113	L. Beemer.....	March 5.....1882
114	S. N. Church..	January 3.. . . .1882
120	E. Orchard..	May 1.....1880
122	James Love.....	May 17.. . . .1882
123	J. A. Macinnes.....	September 4.. . .1881
123	Robert Newbury.....	December 8 .. .1881
127	J. W. Phillips.....	October 13.....1881
129	C. W. Paterson.....	October 7.. . . .1881
131	Peter McKellar.. . . .	December 9 .. .1881
135	Archibald Campbell.. . .	September 16 ..1881
135	John Wallace.....	March 25.....1882
136	Charles Fisher.....	January 20.....1882
139	W. S. Bryant.....	August 6.....1881
139	Henry Barrett.. . . .	December 30....1881
140	William H. Ousterhout....	December 13....1881
141	John P. Langlais.....	November 4.. .1881
141	Thomas Leadston.. . . .	No date.
144	A. W. Robb.....	December 16....1881
146	Seth C. Duncan.. . . .	July 25.....1881
147	William H. Lorimer.. . .	1875.
147	James Archibald.....	1879.
147	William Mostyn	March 28.. . . .1881
148	H. J. Garrett..	September 13 ..1881
151	Louis Zoeger.....	February 8.....1881
157	George Brown.....	October 4.. . . .1881
165	Robert Halsom... . . .	April 17.....1882
166	James Widger.....	November 24.. .1881
169	George Rocklin.....	July 8.....1880
176	George Garner.....	March 20.. . . .1882
180	John Watt.....	July 15.....1881
186	John S. Cameron.. . . .	October.. . . .1881
186	William Cheeseman.. . .	January 30.....1879
189	Joseph Allen.....	No date.
193	Frank Kenedy.....	November 28....1881
196	Archibald Garrioch.....	April 3.....1881
196	Robert Angus.....	October 15.....1881
200	James Little.....	May 18.. . . .1882
209	George Salmond.....	July.....1882
212	George Cumming.....	April 28.....1882
215	Elijah Sprague.....	August 10.. . . .1881
216	Samuel Stuckey.....	February 11.. .1881
219	R. D. McMaster.....	December 4 .. .1881
219	L. Rose.....	February 15.. .1882
220	Robert Mooney.. . . .	January 14.....1882
220	John Huxtable.....	January 31.....1882
222	Samuel H. McCay.. . . .	March 3.....1882
234	John U. Muller.....	September 20 ..1881
249	Robert Renwick.....	September 7.. .1881

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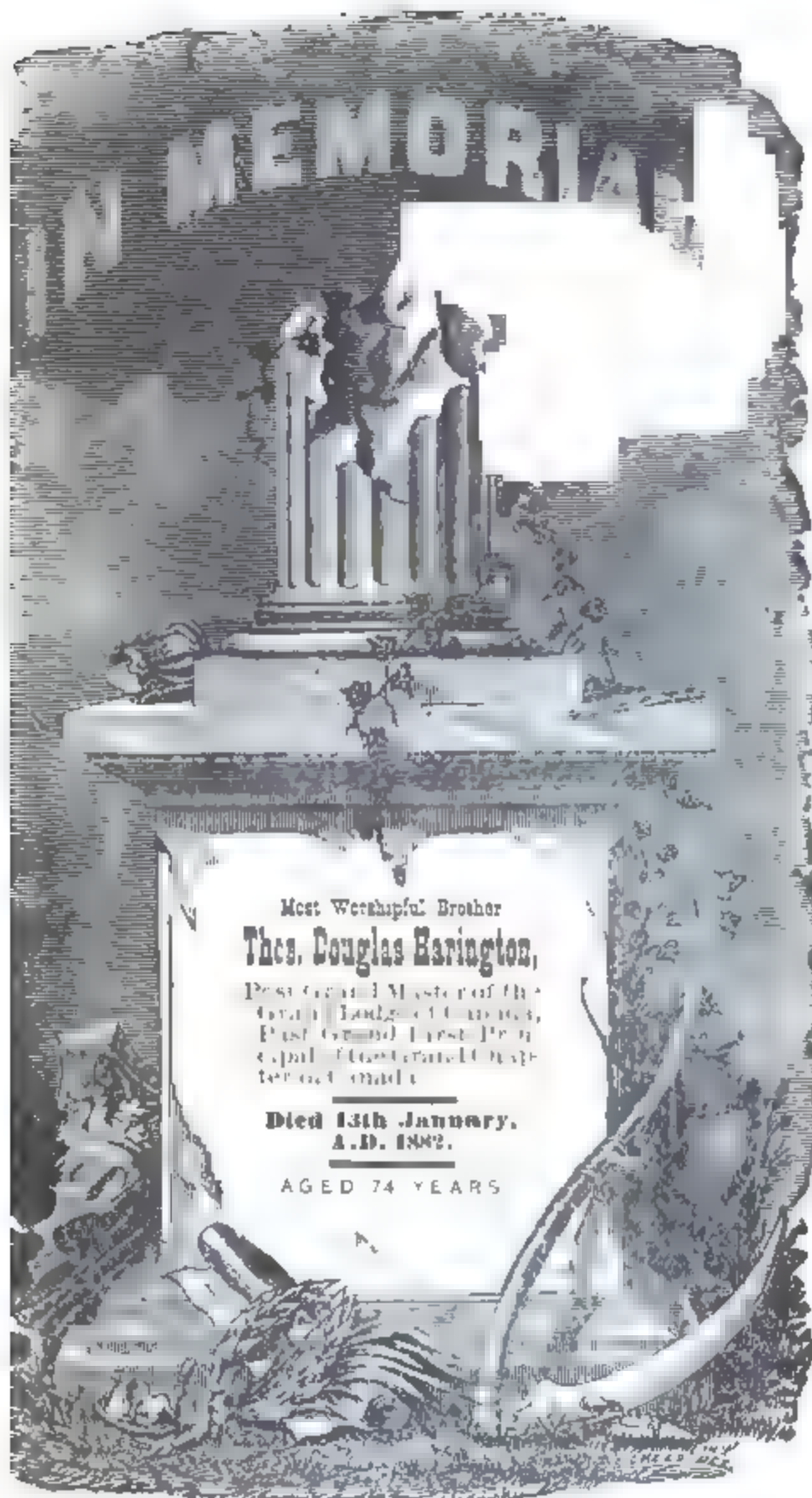
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253	J. K. Oldham.....	April 6.....1881
258	Thomas H. Taylor.....	January 12.....1882
259	John Dynes.....	October 27.....1881
259	R. D. Sampey.....	June 10.....1882
262	Ronald Campbell.....	December 16.....1881
267	S. Ward.....	October 26.....1881
267	D. Cameron.....	December 7.....1881
270	F. Neale.....	July 12.....1881
272	Henry Orton.....	March 24.....1882
276	Levi Jackson.....	October 16.....1881
287	Thomas R. McNice.....	August 24.....1881
287	John Glanville.....	February 28.....1882
296	John A. Sutton.....	November 29.....1881
302	John Shupe.....	No date.
302	Frank Morrison.....	No date.
302	John Beatty.....	June.....1882
304	Ab. Leonard.....	October 15.....1881
312	David Mead.....	February 10.....1881
312	John Raby.....	February 27.....1881
312	F. J. Sawyer.....	March 14.....1881
313	Frederick Barlee.....	March 3.....1882
320	Simon Heberley.....	April 1.....1882
326	David McC. Ross.....	November.....1881
326	Alex. H. Munro.....	December.....1881
326	William Muir.....	April 28.....1882
328	John Arthurs.....	January 4.....1882
332	Henry Richardson.....	September 13.....1881
338	John C. Gracey.....	December 7.....1881
339	W. J. Montgomery.....	No date.
339	John Hamilton.....	April 28.....1882
341	William Welsh.....	March 17.....1881
341	M. H. Wilhelm.....	December 6.....1881
354	A. McKay.....	January 10.....1882
356	George Allen.....	January 24.....1882
358	James Stephen Weld.....	October 1.....1881
362	Robert Young.....	May 26.....1882
371	William Gardner.....	February 27.....1882
376	William F. Hanes.....	January 22.....1882
380	Albert Lewis.....	August 30.....1881

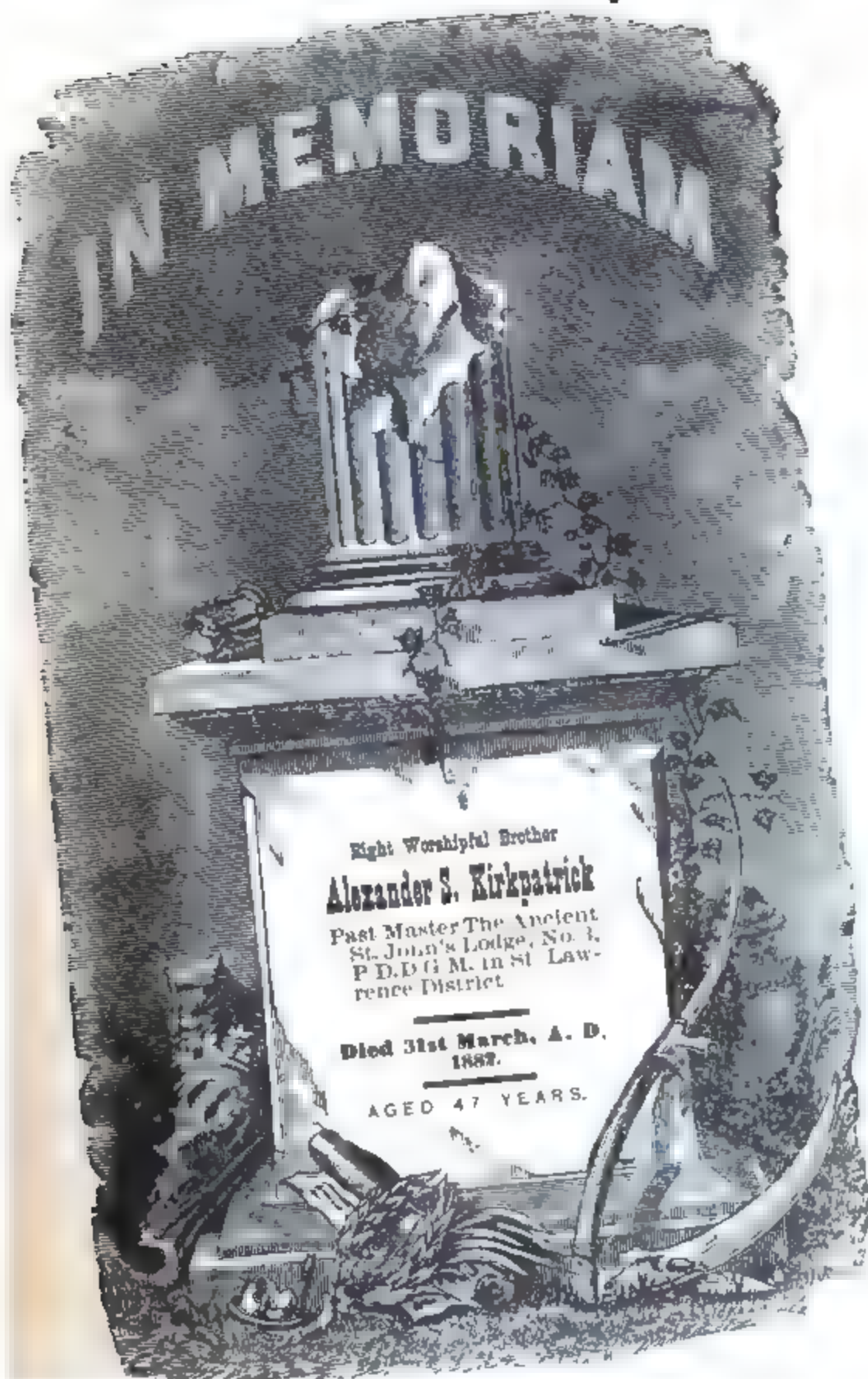


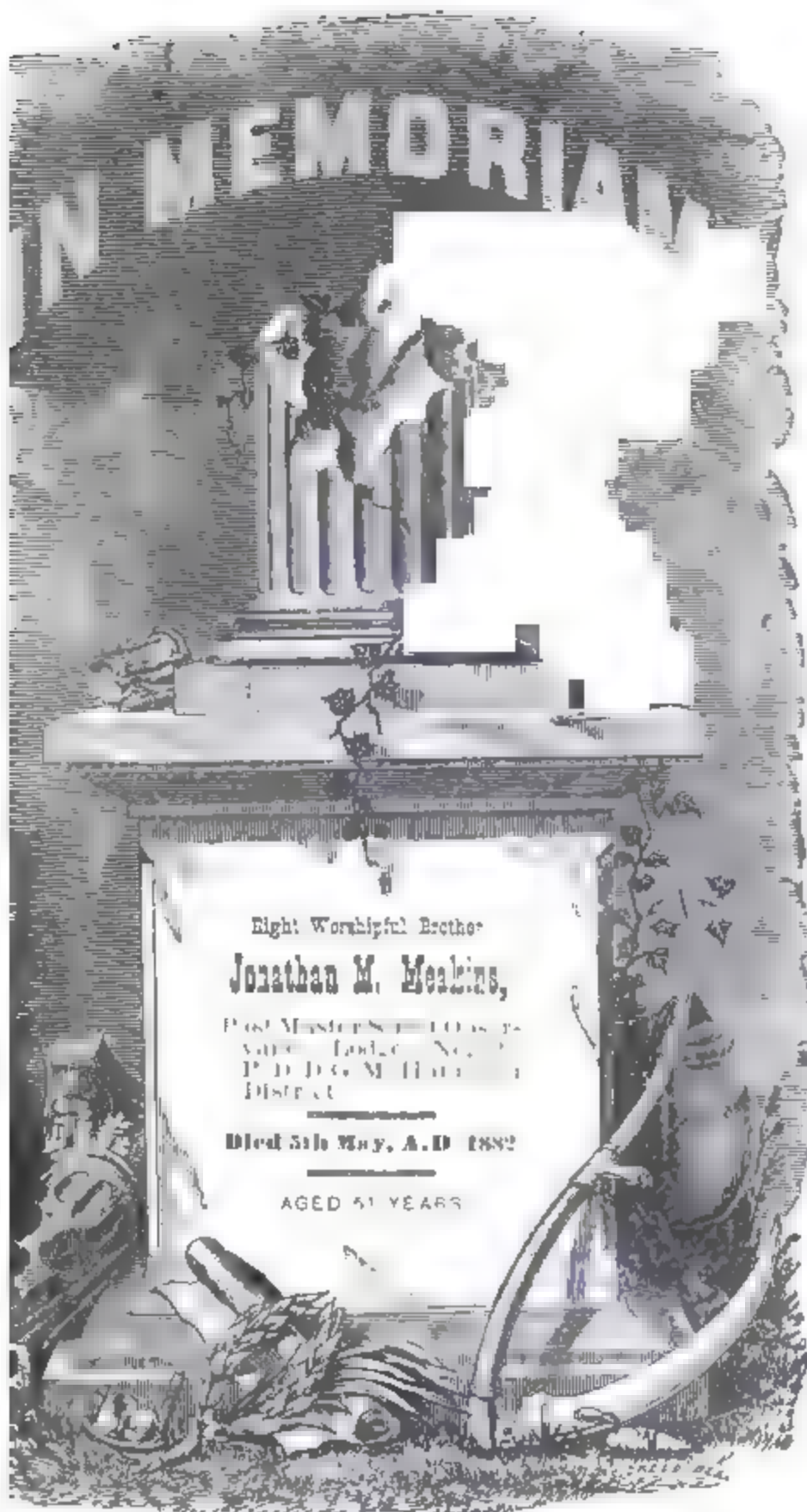












SYNOPSIS OF THE RETURNS OF LODGES,

For the Year ending 24th June, 1882.

Initiations.	Passings.	Raisings.	Joinings.	Withdraw'ls.	Deaths.	Susp. N.P.D.	Susp. U.M.C.	Expulsions.	Restorations	Total.
3	3	3	1	1	2	....	....	....	....	46
5	5	4	4	2	7	....	....	....	2	114
2	3	5	....	....	2	1	....	....	....	114
8	7	4	5	2	6	1	....	....	....	199
2	2	....	....	2	1	1	....	....	....	42
3	1	3	2	2	....	....	....	....	2	57
3	3	2	4	4	1	....	....	....	....	78
11	9	11	2	1	4	1	....	....	....	72
5	5	5	....	1	....	6	....	....	....	39
9	8	6	....	3	2	7	....	....	1	116
12	12	9	3	4	5	11	....	....	....	141
12	11	13	2	2	3	....	....	....	....	77
8	8	6	2	4	3	....	....	....	1	130
11	11	10	....	1	2	17	....	....	1	136
15	14	11	3	2	1	25	....	....	3	166
3	3	3	1	1	1	2	....	....	....	45
6	4	5	2	2	1	4	....	....	....	51
4	5	7	5	1	1	4	....	....	....	95
....	1	1	....	1	....	7	....	....	....	49
10	11	8	1	4	2	5	....	....	....	197
3	4	2	1	3	1	....	....	....	....	57
4	5	5	1	5	1	9	....	....	....	40
2	1	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	62
3	4	4	2	....	1	4	....	....	....	62
6	4	4	1	7	....	8	....	....	3	83
6	5	5	1	4	2	....	....	....	1	50
5	4	4	....	3	....	....	....	....	....	46
1	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	40
1	1	1	....	2	....	....	....	....	1	40
11	9	8	5	2	1	....	....	....	1	80
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	57
1	1	1	....	....	....	3	....	....	....	45
18	17	15	6	3	3	8	....	....	2	234
2	2	1	3	1	....	....	....	....	1	68
2	3	3	2	2	2	1	....	....	....	123
1	5	4	1	....	....	7	....	....	....	89
8	8	8	16	10	2	7	....	....	2	116
5	5	5	2	3	1	5	....	....	....	75
3	5	4	1	1	....	3	....	....	1	60
13	12	14	1	6	2	8	....	....	2	96
3	1	2	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	56
5	6	6	1	2	1	1	....	....	....	45
....	....	....	1	....	2	....	....	....	1	63
3	3	3	....	1	1	....	1	....	....	58
5	5	3	2	2	4	....	....	....	1	48

Synopsis of the Returns of Lodges for the year ending 24th June, 1882.—Continued.

No. of Lodge.	Initiations.	Passings.	Raisings.	Joinings.	Withdraw'ls.	Deaths.	Susp. N.P.D.	Susp. U.M.C.	Expulsions.	Restorations	Total.
56..	5	4	7	1	2	2	....	....	....	....	80
57..	2	1	1	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	28
58..	2	1	2	1	2	....	....	....	....	6	58
61..	12	13	11	2	2	1	1	....	....	....	172
62..	1	1	2	3	4	....	6	....	....	....	39
63..	3	3	3	....	1	2	4	....	....	2	45
64..	8	7	4	....	1	1	2	2	....	1	126
65..	10	13	11	4	4	1	11	....	....	....	125
66..	3	4	4	....	2	1	....	....	....	....	45
68..	4	8	8	....	6	....	9	....	....	....	58
69..	7	6	5	....	3	1	....	....	....	....	62
72..	6	10	7	1	3	1	3	....	....	1	67
73..	3	2	2	1	3	....	4	....	....	....	68
74..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	52
75..	7	8	7	7	7	3	....	....	....	....	183
76..	5	6	7	3	3	1	2	....	....	1	90
77..	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	45
78..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	55
79..	2	1	6	1	3	....	....	....	....	....	41
80..	2	1	1	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	27
81..	2	2	2	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	60
82..	2	2	2	1	2	....	....	....	....	1	42
83..	11	11	7	....	3	2	....	....	....	1	101
84..	3	6	4	1	1	....	2	....	....	....	70
85..	5	4	3	2	3	1	....	....	....	....	47
86..	21	18	11	4	5	1	3	....	....	4	127
87..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	35
88..	....	....	1	....	3	....	....	....	....	....	72
89..	....	....	....	....	1	....	1	....	....	1	24
90..	4	6	4	3	1	1	3	....	....	....	84
91..	2	1	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	38
92..	6	6	6	2	3	....	3	....	....	1	132
93..	3	4	3	4	3	1	6	....	....	2	99
94..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	44
95..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	31
96..	6	4	3	7	1	1	....	1	....	....	84
97..	3	2	2	....	1	....	2	....	....	....	53
98..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	24
99..	4	6	6	2	1	1	....	....	....	....	48
100..	6	6	8	39	3	....	....	1	....	1	83
101..	1	1	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	47
103..	5	5	2	....	1	1	9	....	....	7	89
104..	1	1	1	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	42
105..	....	1	1	....	5	....	6	....	....	....	49
106..	1	1	1	....	....	....	2	....	....	3	44
107..	....	....	....	1	2	1	9	....	....	1	53

Synopsis of the Returns of Lodges for the year ending 24th June, 1882.—Continued.

No. of Lodge.	Initiations.	Passings.	Raisings.	Joinings.	Withdrawals.	Deaths.	Susp. N.P.D.	Susp. U.M.C.	Expulsions.	Restorations	Total.
108..	7	10	9	....	2	....	1	....	....	....	25
109..	1	1	....	....	3	1	....	....	....	....	47
110..	11	9	3	2	1	1	2	....	....	....	89
112..	6	4	4	....	2	....	1	....	....	....	65
113..	2	2	5	1	....	2	....	....	....	....	55
114..	1	....	....	....	2	1	....	....	....	....	38
115..	1	2	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	51
116..	1	1	1	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	74
118..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	26
119..	3	3	3	....	1	....	....	....	....	1	32
120..	1	1	1	....	2	1	3	1	....	....	35
121..	....	....	1	....	2	....	1	....	....	....	55
122..	4	2	2	....	3	1	....	....	....	2	42
123..	10	9	9	1	7	2	....	....	....	....	98
125..	2	2	4	....	1	....	12	....	....	....	57
126..	....	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	1	32
127..	3	3	4	....	1	1	....	....	....	....	47
128..	4	3	1	10	6	....	....	....	....	....	74
129..	9	8	9	....	....	1	....	....	....	1	60
131..	2	3	2	3	....	1	....	....	....	....	32
133..	6	7	8	....	4	....	....	....	....	....	81
135..	6	3	2	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	74
136..	5	6	5	....	1	1	....	....	....	1	28
137..	3	3	2	1	1	....	6	....	....	....	67
139..	3	2	3	....	3	2	4	....	....	1	51
140..	2	2	2	2	....	1	1	....	....	....	57
141..	4	4	3	...	6	2	....	....	....	1	50
142..	4	5	3	....	1	....	....	....	....	1	50
143..	1	2	....	1	1	....	....	....	....	....	59
144..	4	4	5	2	2	1	....	....	....	....	90
145..	3	2	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	40
146..	6	6	6	1	2	1	....	....	....	1	51
147..	3	3	3	1	17	3	5	....	....	....	31
148..	1	1	1	2	4	1	1	....	....	1	59
149..	1	1	1	1	2	....	....	....	....	....	48
150..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	12
151..	5	5	4	1	3	1	....	....	....	....	64
153..	3	3	3	....	3	....	1	....	....	1	45
154..	1	2	1	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	48
155..	9	9	4	4	8	....	1	....	....	2	53
156..	8	8	7	....	6	....	....	....	....	1	49
157..	12	10	6	....	1	1	....	....	....	....	45
158..	3	3	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	32
159..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	43
161..	3	3	3	1	....	....	7	....	....	....	50
162..	1	....	....	....	4	....	....	....	....	....	24

Synopsis of the Returns of Lodges for the year ending 24th June, 1882.—Continued.

No. of Lodge.	Initiations.	Passings.	Raisings.	Joinings.	Withdraw'ls.	Deaths.	Susp. N.P.D.	Susp. U.M.C.	Expulsions.	Restorations	Total.
164...	2	1	....	....	6	....	....	....	....	....	38
165..	5	6	5	1	4	1	1	....	....	....	36
166..	2	1	1	1	....	1	....	....	....	....	53
168..	3	4	4	3	1	....	....	....	....	1	66
169..	5	5	5	2	2	1	....	....	....	....	85
170..	2	2	2	1	4	....	1	....	....	....	54
171..	2	2	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	39
172..	2	1	1	....	....	....	6	....	....	....	36
174..	2	3	4	....	2	....	....	....	....	2	71
176..	....	....	....	....	1	1	1	....	....	....	38
177..	3	2	1	1	4	....	2	....	....	3	51
178..	2	1	1	1	....	....	2	....	....	....	43
179..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	25
180..	6	4	5	1	1	1	1	....	....	....	96
181..	....	....	....	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	37
183..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	27
184..	3	4	4	....	6	....	3	1	....	....	36
185..	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	33
186..	10	7	3	1	9	2	....	....	....	....	27
189..	....	1	1	1	....	1	....	....	....	....	20
190..	6	4	4	1	5	....	....	....	....	....	50
192..	3	4	1	....	9	....	....	....	....	....	51
193..	1	1	1	1	....	1	....	....	....	....	27
194..	3	3	5	1	1	....	....	....	....	....	56
195..	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	49
196..	6	4	3	2	5	2	....	....	....	....	48
197..	4	4	3	3	9	....	....	....	....	2	45
198..	....	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	64
200..	3	3	1	....	3	1	....	....	....	....	46
201..	4	4	4	1	4	....	2	....	....	1	72
203..	6	5	4	2	2	....	2	....	....	....	56
205..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	32
207..	11	11	11	3	8	....	8	....	....	2	64
209a..	28	26	23	8	3	....	3	....	....	1	127
209..	1	1	1	....	1	1	....	....	....	....	28
210..	2	2	1	....	3	....	....	....	....	2	23
212..	....	....	....	....	1	1	....	....	....	....	37
213..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	23
214..	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	47
215..	2	2	3	....	1	1	4	....	....	....	23
216..	6	6	3	10	13	1	1	....	....	....	70
217..	....	....	1	....	5	....	1	....	....	....	21
218..	7	6	4	....	5	....	....	....	....	1	87
219..	6	5	5	1	....	2	4	....	....	....	53
220..	9	6	6	....	4	2	6	....	....	....	57
221..	7	7	2	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	76

opsis of the Returns of Lodges for the year ending 24th June, 1882.--Continued.

	Initiations.	Passings.	Raisings.	Joinings.	Withdraw'ls.	Deaths.	Susp. N.P.D.	Susp. U.M.C.	Expulsions.	Restorations	Total.
3..	2	2	2	....	4	1	4	....	....	1	16
4..	4	5	5	....	4	....	....	....	....	....	32
5..	....	....	1	....	1	....	....	....	....	1	27
6..	10	10	12	2	3	....	....	1	....	....	73
7..	....	....	....	1	1	....	....	....	....	....	45
8..	11	10	9	....	4	....	7	....	....	....	84
9..	9	6	3	14	4	....	....	....	....	....	43
10..	4	3	2	1	1	....	....	....	....	1	41
11..	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	33
12..	2	2	2	....	4	....	....	....	....	....	32
13..	6	6	5	....	....	1	1	....	....	1	46
14..	2	1	....	....	4	....	3	7	....	....	42
15..	2	2	3	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	21
16..	1	1	1	....	2	....	....	1	....	2	30
17..	5	4	4	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	44
18..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	34
19..	3	3	3	....	6	....	4	....	....	....	42
20..	8	9	4	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	49
21..	2	4	3	....	2	....	....	....	....	1	53
22..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	52
23..	6	6	4	4	4	....	3	....	....	....	73
24..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	32
25..	....	....	....	1	10	1	7	....	....	....	15
26..	12	6	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	67
27..	6	6	6	4	2	1	4	....	....	....	93
28..	....	1	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	61
29..	4	3	2	1	5	....	4	....	....	....	41
30..	4	3	2	3	1	....	....	....	....	1	44
31..	3	2	2	....	10	....	2	....	....	....	54
32..	5	5	6	1	3	1	3	....	....	....	68
33..	2	1	1	....	6	2	....	....	....	3	34
34..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	39
35..	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	25
36..	3	2	4	1	1	1	....	....	....	....	64
37..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	49
38..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	64
39..	5	6	5	1	3	....	....	....	....	1	26
40..	4	3	3	....	5	....	1	....	....	....	26
41..	5	5	2	2	7	2	2	....	....	....	69
42..	1	....	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	39
43..	2	2	3	1	1	....	....	....	....	1	42
44..	1	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	50
45..	4	5	3	1	3	....	2	....	....	....	25
46..	3	1	....	2	....	1	....	....	....	....	36
47..	9	9	9	2	3	....	....	....	....	....	54
48..	3	1	1	....	....	1	....	....	....	1	24

Synopsis of the Returns of Lodges for the year ending 24th June, 1882.—Continued.

No. of Lodge.	Initiations.	Passings.	Raisings.	Joinings.	Withdraw'ls.	Deaths.	Susp. N P.D.	Susp. U M.C.	Expulsions.	Restorations	Total.
277..	1	1	1	1	1	....	....	....	....	....	46
278..	1	1	1	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	23
279..	1	1	1	2	1	....	....	....	....	....	26
280..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	19
281..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	16
282..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	36
283..	1	1	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	37
284..	5	9	6	1	5	....	....	....	....	2	47
285..	6	5	5	....	3	....	....	....	....	....	26
286..	1	2	2	....	4	....	....	....	....	....	46
287..	3	4	5	....	5	2	3	....	....	1	67
289..	5	6	5	4	4	....	3	....	....	....	65
290..	7	5	5	1	3	....	....	....	....	1	60
291..	8	4	5	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	36
292..	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	21
293..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	17
294..	5	4	3	1	6	....	8	....	....	....	33
295..	11	6	4	....	5	....	....	....	....	....	36
296..	1	1	....	1	3	1	....	....	....	1	56
297..	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	29
299..	3	1	1	1	....	....	....	....	....	1	42
300..	7	7	1	....	....	....	7	....	....	4	37
301..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	31
302..	13	11	7	....	1	3	....	....	....	....	109
303..	12	12	12	3	5	....	1	....	....	....	36
304..	1	....	....	1	1	1	....	....	....	....	26
305..	2	2	1	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	31
306..	2	1	1	....	3	....	1	....	....	....	40
307..	9	6	6	1	3	....	....	....	....	....	42
308..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	39
309..	....	....	1	....	2	....	1	....	....	....	42
311..	8	4	4	....	6	....	....	....	....	....	27
312..	16	17	20	2	....	3	8	....	....	....	83
313..	3	3	2	....	3	1	....	....	....	....	33
314..	3	5	3	....	3	....	2	....	....	....	52
315..	5	5	5	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	21
316..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	70
317..	2	1	2	....	37	....	....	....	....	....	None.
318..	....	....	....	....	2	....	1	....	....	....	19
319..	1	1	1	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	22
320..	6	4	1	5	1	3	25
321..	4	3	1	3	5	33
322..	5	6	11	2	55
323..	12	10	9	3	1	50
324..	5	6	6	2	5	125
325..	2	2	3	2	2	125

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Initiations.	Passings.	Raisings.	Joinings.	Withdrawals.	Deaths.	Susp. N.P.D.	Susp. U.M.C.	Expulsions.	Restorations	Total.
4	6	3	2	12	3	13	78
.....	10
8	8	7	2	1	36
4	3	2	1	46
6	7	6	4	5	66
3	3	3	1	17
6	5	5	2	1	37
.....	26
2	3	3	2	25
.....	21
8	8	8	3	4	26
2	1	1	1	6	26
5	5	1	1	26
22	19	19	1	2	3	81
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374..	1	1	1
375..	4	4	4	1
376..	4	1	1	2
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378..	10	10	11	2
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380..	15	10	12	7	9
381..	5	5	4	1
382..	19	17	15	9	4
383..	5	5	5	1
384..	17	15	14	8	1
385..	11	5	7	1
386..	1	1	1	1
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388..	9	9	9	1
389..	1	3	1
390..	2	1	2	1
391..	17	13	8	12
392..	5	4	3	1
393..	1	1	1	2
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RECAPITULATION

OF THE RETURNS OF LODGES FOR THE YEAR ENDING 24TH JUNE,
1882, AS FAR AS HEARD FROM.

Lodges Organized and affiliated.....	401
“ Extinct.....	12
“ Ceded to Grand Lodge of Quebec.....	38
“ “ “ “ Manitoba.....	4
“ Number on Roll.....	347
“ Represented in Grand Lodge.....	285
Initiations Reported.....	1,462
Passings “	1,865
Raisings “	1,205
Joinings “	484
Restorations “	115
Resignations “	768
Deaths.....	182
Suspensions for Non-payment of Dues.....	493
“ for Unmasonic Conduct.....	17
Members in Good Standing.....	17,967

Gross receipts for the year ending 31st May, 1882..\$16,913.47
Assets of Grand Lodge as per Grand Treasurer's
Statement 31st May, 1882.....\$65,199.27

LIST OF GRAND OFFICERS FOR 1882-83.

M.W. Bro	Daniel Spry.....	Barrie	G. M.
R.W.	" Hugh Murray	Hamilton.....	D. G. M.
"	" N. J. Lindsay	Watford	D. D. G. M.
"	" L. G. Jarvis	London	"
"	" William Kennedy, M.D..	Vittoria	"
"	" Richard Radcliffe.....	Goderich	"
"	" John Seoon.....	Guelph	"
"	" Thomas Clark.....	Dundas	"
"	" J. Murison Dunn	Welland	"
"	" John Fisher.....	Eglinton.....	"
"	" John Creasor, Q. C.....	Owen Sound.....	"
"	" E. H. D. Hall.....	Peterborough....	"
"	" W. L. Hamilton	Belleville	"
"	" J. H. Kenning.....	Prescott	"
"	" E. B. Butterworth	Ottawa.....	"
"	" J. Ross Robertson.....	Toronto.....	G. S. Warden.
"	" W. T. Bray.....	Wingham	G. J. Warden.
"	" Rev. Evans Davis.....	London	G. Chaplain.
"	" Edward Mitchell	Hamilton	G. Treasurer.
"	" W. T. Wilkinson.....	Toronto	G. Registrar.
"	" J. J. Mason.....	Hamilton	G. Secretary.
V. W.	" Thomas Beattie.....	London	G. S. D.
"	" J. N. Carter.....	Picton	G. J. D.
"	" Levi Yale	St. Catharines...	G. S. of W.
"	" W. R. Street.....	London	G. D. of C.
"	" H. Bickford	Dundas	Asst. G. S.
"	" Alexander Patterson....	Toronto	Asst. G. D. of C.
"	" James Lockie.....	Berlin.....	G. S. B.
"	" E. T. Malone	Toronto.....	G. Organist.
"	" C. W. Brown.....	Yorkville.....	Asst. G. O.
"	" C. S. Saunders	Barrie.....	G. Pursuivant.
"	" R. McKnight.....	Owen Sound....	G. Steward.
"	" Samuel White.....	Peterborough....	"
"	" W. H. Sparling	Chatham	"
"	" C. Benedict	Zurich	"
"	" J. B. Bishop.....	Hamilton.....	"
"	" T. L. M. Tipton.....	Dunnville.....	"
"	" Edwin Plant.....	Ottawa.....	"
"	" W. Colclough.....	Mount Forest....	"
"	" L. Becker.....	Waterford.....	"
"	" M. Day.....	Thamesford.....	"
"	" James Holmes	West Winchester.	"
"	" John Hull.....	Lakefield.....	"
"	" John Sweetman.....	Ottawa.....	G. Tyler.

BOARD OF GENERAL PURPOSES.

PRESIDENT:

W. Bro. Hugh Murray, Deputy Grand Master.....Hamilton.

VICE-PRESIDENT:

V. Bro. Otto Klotz, P. D. D. G. M.....Preston.

(BY VIRTUE OF OFFICE.)

W. Bro. Daniel Spry, Grand Master.....Barrie.

" W. B. Simpson, Past Grand Master.....Montreal.

" A. A. Stevenson, " "Montreal.

" James Seymour, " "St. Catharines.

" Thomas White, " "Montreal.

" J. K. Kerr, Q. C., " "Toronto.

" J. A. Henderson, Q.C., " "Kingston.

" James Moffat, " "London.

V. Bro. Hugh Murray, Deputy Grand Master....Hamilton.

" N. J. Lindsay, D. D. G. M..Watford.

" L. G. Jarvis, "London.

" Wm. Kennedy, "Vittoria.

" Richard Radcliffe, "Goderich.

" John Scoon, "Guelph.

" Thomas Clark, "Dundas.

" J. Muirson Dunn, "Welland.

" John Fisher, "Eglinton.

" John Creasor, Q C, "Owen Sound.

" E. H. D. Hall, "Peterborough.

" W. L. Hamilton, "Belleville.

" J. H. Kenning, "Prescott.

" E. B. Butterworth, "Ottawa.

ELECTED BY GRAND LODGE.*

V. Bro. Donald Ross, P. D. D. G. M.....Picton.

" R. T. Walkem, Q.C., "Kingston.

" Henry Macpherson, "Owen Sound.

" Bernard Saunders, "Toronto.

" David McLellan, P. G. S. W.....Hamilton.

" Otto Klotz, P. D. D. G. M.....Preston.

" Henry Robertson, "Collingwood.

" Thomas Sargent, "Toronto.

" Allan McLean, P. G. S. W.....Kingston.

" J. B. Traves, P. D. D. G. M.....Port Hope.

APPOINTED BY THE GRAND MASTER.

R. W. Bro.	L. H. Henderson,	P. D. D. G. M.	.....	Belleville.
"	" J. Cascaden	"	.....	Iona.
"	" P. J. Brown,	"	.....	Ingersoll.
W.	" David Glass, Q. C.,	P. M.	.....	London.
R. W.	" W. G. Reid,	P. D. D. G. M.	.....	Hamilton.
"	" R. B. Hungerford,	"	.....	London.
"	" John McLaren,	"	.....	Orangeville.
"	" R. Hendry,	"	.....	Kingston.
"	" J. E. Harding,	"	.....	St. Marys.
"	" J. B. Nixon,	"	.....	Toronto.

GRAND REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE GRAND LODGE OF CANADA.

IN THE UNITED KINGDOM.

England	R. W. Bro.	The Rt. Hon. Lord De Tably.
Ireland	" "	Humphry Minchin, Dublin.
Scotland.....	" "	Lindsay Mackersy, Edinburgh.

IN THE DOMINION OF CANADA.

British Columbia.....	R. W. Bro.	Wm. Dalby, Victoria.
Manitoba.....	M. W.	" Hon. W. N. Kennedy, Winnipeg.
New Brunswick.....	" "	John V. Ellis, St. John.
Nova Scotia.....	R. W.	" Andrew K. Mackinlay, Halifax.
Prince Edward Island..	M. W.	" Hon. John Yeo, Port Hill.
Quebec.....	R. W.	" Alexander Murray, Montreal.

IN THE UNITED STATES.

Alabama.....	W. Bro.	Geo. F. Moore, Montgomery.
Arkansas.....	R. W.	" Raphael M. Johnson, Fort Smith.
California.....	M. W.	" W. Caldwell Belcher, Marysville.
Colorado.....	" "	Byron L. Carr, Longmont.
Connecticut.....	W.	" William Knox, Hartford.
Delaware.....	M. W.	" Joseph W. H. Watson, Newport.
District of Columbia....	R. W.	" Joseph H. Jochum, Washington.
Florida.....	" "	DeWitt C. Dawkins, Jacksonville.
Georgia.....	" "	Wm. H. Tuller, Atlanta.
Idaho.....	" "	B. M. Davis, Silver City.
Illinois.....	" "	Wiley M. Egan, Chicago.
Indian Territory.....	M. W.	" J. S. Murrow, Atoka.

na.....	M.W.	Bro. Robert Van Valzah, Terra Haute.
.....	"	" Theodore S. Parvin, Iowa City.
as.....	R.W.	" E. T. Carr, Leavenworth.
ucky.....	"	" W. T. Darrow, Louisville.
niana.....	"	" J. C. Batchelor, M.D., New Orleans.
e.....	M.W.	" David Cargill, East Livermore.
land.....	R.W.	" Woodward Abrahams, Baltimore.
igan.....	M.W.	" John W. Finch, Adrian.
esota.....	"	" Edward W. Durant, Stillwater.
ssippi.....	W.	" W. G. Paxton, Vicksburg.
uri.....	M.W.	" Xenophon Ryland, Lexington.
aska.....	"	" Robert C. Jordon, Grand Island.
da.....	R.W.	" Samuel W. Chubbuck, Gold Hill.
Hampshire.....	M.W.	" Andrew Bunton, Manchester.
Jersey.....	"	" Henry R. Cannon, Elizabeth.
Mexico.....	R.W.	" Simon B. Newcomb, Mesilla.
York.....	"	" Henry W. Turner, New York.
Carolina.....	M.W.	" George W. Blount, Wilson.
.....	"	" Charles A. Woodward Cleveland.
on.....	R.W.	" Donald McKay, Portland.
sylvania.....	"	" Samuel C. Perkins, Philadelphia.
e Island.....	M.W.	" Ariel Ballou, Woonsocket.
Carolina.....	W.	" A. Doty, Jr., Charleston.
essee.....	M.W.	" Elihu Edmundson, Pulaski.
.....	"	" Philip C. Tucker, Galveston.
.....	R.W.	" W. D. Wilson, Salt Lake City.
ont.....	M.W.	" Levant M. Read, Bellows Fall.
ia.....	R.W.	" Rev. G. W. Dame, D.D., Danville.
ington Territory....	M.W.	" Oliver P. Lacy, Walla Walla.
Virginia.....	R.W.	" W. H. Freeman, Clarksburg.
nsin.....	"	" Charles Kahn, Milwaukee.
ing.....	"	" James E. Gates, Laramie City.

IN OTHER COUNTRIES.

.....	Ill. Bro. Franc de Paula Romas.
al America.....	" L. Montafar.
.....	" A. M. Medina.
.....	" Francisco de Luca.
o.....	" Luis Goapil.
renada.....	" J. M. Samper Angiano.
gal.....	" Joas Caetano D'Almeida.
Domingo.....	" Jacinto de Castro.
ay.....	" Belisario Conrado.
nela.....	" Antonio M. Mollejas.

GRAND REPRESENTATIVES IN THE GRAND LODGE OF CANADA.

FOR THE UNITED KINGDOM.

England.....	R. W. Bro. Rt. Hon. Sir John A. Macdonald,
	K. C. B.
Ireland.....	" " Kivas Tully, Toronto.
Scotland.....	" " Hugh A. Mackay, Hamilton.

FOR THE DOMINION OF CANADA.

British Columbia.....	V. W. Bro. F. R. Despard, Hamilton.
Manitoba.....	R. W. " Æ. Irving, Q. C , Hamilton.
New Brunswick.....	V. W. " Hon. T. B. Pardee, Q.C., Toronto.
Nova Scotia.....	R. W. " G. J. Waugh, Stratford.
Pr. Edward Island.....	" " Hugh Murray, Hamilton.
Quebec.....	" " Robert Mackay, St Thomas.

FOR THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Alabama.....	R. W. Bro. S. B. Harman, Toronto.
Arkansas.....	" " A. J. Cambie, Ottawa.
California.....	" " E. Mitchell, Hamilton.
Colorado.....	" " F. J. Menet, Toronto.
Connecticut.....	M W. " A. A. Stevenson, Montreal.
Delaware.....	R. W. " J. B. Traves, Port Hope.
Dist. of Columbia..	" " Henry Robertson, Collington.
Florida.....	" " J. J. Mason, Hamilton.
Georgia.....	" " David McLellan, Hamilton.
Idaho.....	M. W. " James Moffat, London.
Illinois.....	R. W. " David McLellan, Hamilton.
Indian Territory.....	" " Robert Ramsay, Orillia.
Indiana.....	M. W. " J. K. Kerr, Q. C., Toronto.
Iowa.....	R. W. " J. J. Mason, Hamilton.
Kansas.....	" " J. J. Mason, Hamilton.
Kentucky.....	M. W. " Daniel Spry, Barrie.
Louisiana.....	R. W. " George S. Birrell, London.
Maine....	" " John W. Murton, Hamilton.
Maryland.....	" " Henry Macpherson, Owen Sound.
Michigan.....	" " Hugh A. Mackay, Hamilton.
Minnesota.....	M. W. " A. A. Stevenson, Montreal.
Mississippi.....	" " James Seymour, St. Catharines.
Missouri.....	" " J. K. Kerr, Q. C., Toronto.
Nebraska.....	R. W. " Robert Ramsay, Orillia.

Nevada.....	M. W.	Bro. Thomas White, Montreal.
New Hampshire.....	" "	J. A. Henderson, Q. C., Kingston.
New Jersey.....	" "	J. K. Kerr, Q. C., Toronto.
New Mexico.....	R. W.	P. J. Brown, Ingersoll.
New York.....	M. W.	J. A. Henderson, Q. C., Kingston.
North Carolina.....	R. W.	L. H. Henderson, Belleville.
Ohio.....	" "	L. G. Jarvis, London.
Oregon.....	" "	C. D. Macdonnell, Peterborough.
Pennsylvania..	M. W.	James Moffat, London.
Rhode Island.....	V. W.	Robert Lewis, London.
South Carolina.....	R. W.	T. C. Macnabb, Chatham.
Tennessee.....	" "	S. B. Harman, Toronto.
Texas.....	M. W.	J. K. Kerr, Q. C., Toronto.
Utah.....	" "	J. K. Kerr, Q. C., Toronto.
Vermont.....	R. W.	A. J. Cambie, Ottawa.
Virginia.....	V. W.	Wm. Brydon, Toronto.
Washington Ter	R. W.	Otto Klotz, Preston.
West Virginia.....	" "	J. E. Harding, St. Marys.
Wisconsin.....	" "	W. H. Frazer, Toronto.
Wyoming.....	" "	R. P. Stephens, Toronto.

FOR OTHER COUNTRIES.

Brazil.....	M. W.	Bro. A. A. Stevenson, Montreal.
Chili.....	R. W.	Rev. Clementi, B. A., Peterboro'.
Colon & Isle of Cuba....	" "	G. H. F. Dartnell, Whitby.
Italy.....	M. W.	W. B. Simpson, Montreal.
St. Domingo.....	R. W.	Otto Klotz, Preston.
Uruguay.....	" "	Henry Macpherson, Owen Sound.

LIST OF GRAND LODGES IN NORTH AMERICA.

WITH NAMES AND RESIDENCES OF THE GRAND SECRETARIES.

STATE OR PROVINCE.	GRAND SECRETARY.	RESIDENCE.
Alabama	Daniel Sayre.....	Montgomery.
Arkansas	Fay Hempstead.....	Little Rock.
British Columbia.....	Edgar C. Baker.....	Victoria.
California.....	Alexander G. Abell.....	San Francisco.
Canada.....	J. J. Mason	Hamilton.
Colorado	Ed. C. Parmelee.....	Georgetown.
Connecticut.....	Joseph K. Wheeler.....	Hartford.
Dakota	Charles T. McCoy.....	Bon Homme.
Delaware.....	William S. Hayes.....	Wilmington.
District of Columbia....	William R. Singleton....	Washington.
Florida	DeWitt C. Dawkins.....	Jacksonville.
Georgia.....	J. E. Blackshear, M. D..	Macon.
Idaho.....	J. H. Wickersham.....	Silver City.
Illinois.....	L. L. Munn.....	Freeport.
Indian Territory	J. S. Murrow.....	Atoka.
Indiana	William H. Smythe	Indianapolis.
Iowa.....	T. S. Parvin.. ..	Iowa City.
Kansas.....	John H. Brown	Wyandotte.
Kentucky.....	Hiram Bassett.....	Millersburg.
Louisiana.....	James C. Batchelor, M.D.	New Orleans.
Maine	Ira Berry	Portland.
Manitoba	W. G. Scott.....	Winnipeg.
Maryland.....	Jacob H. Medairy.....	Baltimore.
Massachusetts	Tracy P. Cheever	Chelsea.
Michigan.....	William P. Innes.....	Grand Rapids.
Minnesota	A. T. C. Pierson.....	St. Paul.
Mississippi.....	J. L. Power.....	Jackson.
Missouri.....	Rev. J. D. Vincil, D. D..	St. Louis.
Montana.....	Cornelius Hedges	Helena.
Nebraska	William R. Bowen.....	Omaha.
Nevada.....	John D. Hammond.....	Carson.
New Brunswick.....	Edwin J. Wetmore.....	St. John.
New Hampshire.....	G. P. Cleaves	Concord.
New Jersey	Joseph H. Hough	Trenton.
New Mexico.....	David J. Miller	Santa Fe.
New York.....	E. M. L. Ehlers.....	New York.
North Carolina	Donald W. Bain.....	Raleigh.
Nova Scotia.....	Benjamin Curren, D.C.L.	Halifax.
Ohio.....	John D. Caldwell	Cincinnati.
Oregon.....	F. J. Babcock.....	Salem.
Pennsylvania.....	Michael Nisbet.....	Philadelphia.
Prince Edward Island....	George W. Wakeford....	Charlottetown.
Quebec	John H. Isaacson	Montreal.
Rhode Island	Edwin Baker.....	Providence.
South Carolina.....	Charles Inglesby.....	Charleston.

LIST OF GRAND LODGES IN NORTH AMERICA.

WITH NAMES AND RESIDENCES OF THE GRAND SECRETARIES.

(Continued.)

STATE OR PROVINCE.	GRAND SECRETARY.	RESIDENCE.
Tennessee.....	John Frizzell.....	Nashville.
Texas.....	George H. Bringhamst....	Houston.
Utah	Christopher Diehl	Salt Lake City.
Vermont	Wm. H. Root.	Burlington.
Virginia.....	W. B. Isaacs.....	Richmond.
Washington Territory.....	Thomas M. Reed.....	Olympia.
West Virginia.....	O. S. Long.....	Wheeling.
Wisconsin.....	John W. Woodhull.....	Milwaukee.
Wyoming.	J. H. Symons.....	Laramie City.

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PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
GRAND LODGE

OF
Ancient, Free & Accepted Masons
OF CANADA,

AT SPECIAL COMMUNICATIONS

Held at Oakville, on the 18th June, A. L. 5888, and at Farmersville, on the 21st June, A. L. 5888; also at the

TWENTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL COMMUNICATION



Held at the City of Ottawa, on the 11th & 12th of July, A.D. 1888, A.L. 5889

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1888.

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Grand Lodge of Canada.

PROCEEDINGS

At an Especial Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of Canada, held at the Town of Oakville, on Wednesday, the 18th day of June, A. D. 1883, A. L. 5883.

PRESENT:

M. W. Bro.	Daniel Spry,	Grand Master.
R. " "	J. Ross Robertson,	as Deputy Grand Master.
" " "	J. Greenfield,	as Grand Senior Warden.
V. " "	E. T. Malone,	as " Junior "
" "	Rev. W. J. MacKenzie	as " Chaplain.
W. " "	N. J. McIntyre,	as " Treasurer.
R. " "	J. J. Mason,	" Secretary.
" " "	A. Patterson,	as " Senior Deacon.
V. " "	W. L. P. Eager,	as " Junior "
W. " "	J. Kaiting,	as " Dir. of Cer.
" " "	M. Felan,	as " Ass't "
" " "	George J. Summer,	as " Pursuivant.
" " "	B. J. Morgan,	as " }
" " "	Jas. Stiff,	as " }
" " "	W. R. Howse,	as " }
" " "	H. T. Ide,	as " }
" " "	T. Titherington,	as " Tyler.

Together with Masters, and Past Masters, hailing from the following lodges:—King Solomon's, No. 22, Toronto; Ionic, No. 25, Toronto; Strict Observance, No. 27, Hamilton; St. John's, No. 40, Hamilton; St. Clair, No. 135, Milton; Burlington, No. 165, Burlington; Credit, No. 219, Georgetown; Kerr, No. 280, Barrie; Minden, No. 258, Kingston; Zetland, No. 826, Toronto; Doric, No. 882, Hamilton; Oakville Lodge, U. D., Oakville.

Grand Lodge was opened in *Ample Form*, at 1 o'clock, afternoon, in the Templar Hall, and from thence the Brethren marched in procession, headed by the band, to the site of the proposed church.

The front of the procession having reached the site, a halt was made, and the ranks opened out and faced inwards, when the Grand Master, supported by the Grand Officers, passed through to the North-east corner, where a platform had been erected for their convenience. It had been arranged that the Church of England Service should take place first, and accordingly, as soon as the Grand Master had been received and welcomed, the proceedings were commenced by Bro. the Rev. Canon Worrell, M. A., Incumbent of the Church, who conducted the portion of the ceremony pertaining to the Church of England.

W. Bro. the Rev. W. J. MacKenzie, Acting Grand Chaplain, then offered up a suitable prayer, and the Grand Secretary read the following scroll:—

By the favor of Almighty God, on the Thirteenth day of
June, 1888, Era of Masonry, 5888,

And in the Forty-seventh year of the reign of our Most
Gracious Sovereign,
Victoria,

By the Grace of God Empress of India, and Queen of Great
Britain and Ireland, and of the Dominion of Canada.

His Excellency the Marquis of Lorne, being Governor-General of the Dominion of Canada, and

The Honorable John Beverley Robinson, Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Ontario.

The Right Honorable Sir John Alexander Macdonald, Premier of Canada.

The Honorable Oliver Mowat, Premier of Ontario.

The Right Reverend Thomas B. Fuller, D. D., D. C. L., Lord Bishop of Niagara.

The Reverend John Bell Worrell, M. A., Canon and Incumbent.

William Y. Pettit, and William Joyce, Esquires, Church-wardens.

Christopher Armstrong, W. B. Chisholm, Wm. Y. Pettit, Wm. Joyce, W. F. Romain, and J. B. Worrell, Building Committee.

Messrs. R. C. Windeyer, and Falloon, Architects. Contractors,—Carpenter work—John Plenderleith. Mason and Brick-work,—George Hillam, and Mark Tipling.

This corner-stone of the Church of St. Jude was laid by Most Worshipful Bro. Daniel Spry, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of Canada,

Assisted by the Grand Officers and a large concourse of the brethren, in accordance with the ceremonies and usages of the Order,—Whom may Almighty God ever protect and prosper.

The Grand Secretary then announced that in the glass bottle to be deposited in the cavity in the stone, were placed The Scroll.

A copy of the proceedings of the Synod of Niagara, 1882.

the church, then presented a
ful specimen of the silversmith
following inscription:—

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SPECIAL COMMUNICATION, OAKVILLE.

rom Bro. the Rev. Canon Curran, M. A., the Hon. J. B. Plumb, and others, after which the brethren were hospitably entertained by the ladies of the congregation.

The procession was then re-formed, and the brethren returned to the hall, and after the Grand Master had expressed his gratification at the successful nature of the day's proceedings, and his thanks for the kind hospitality extended to the visiting brethren, the Grand Lodge was closed in *Imple Form*.

ATTEST.



J. J. Watson
Grand Secretary.

Grand Lodge of Canada.

PROCEEDINGS

Attan Especial Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of Canada, held at the Village of Farmersville, in the County of Leeds, on Thursday, the 21st day of June, A. D. 1888, A. L. 5888.

PRESENT:

R. W. Bro. Richard T. Walkem, Q.C., D.D.G.M.,			Acting Grand Master.
"	"	James Reynolds, P.D.D.G.M.,	as Deputy Grand Master.
"	"	John W. Pickup, P.D.D.G.M.,	as Grand Senior Warden.
"	"	Robert Hendry, P.D.D.G.M.,	as Grand Junior Warden.
"	"	Rev. W. Wright,	as Grand Chaplain.
"	"	John R. Dargaval,	as " Treasurer.
"	"	Omer Brown,	as " Registrar.
"	"	W. Johnston,	as " Secretary.
"	"	W. J. Simpson,	as " Senior Deacon.
"	"	J. Ridde,	as " Junior Deacon.
"	"	J. Lamb,	as " Supt. of Works.
"	"	George Taylor,	as " Organist.
"	"	J. Sinclair,	as " Sword Bearer.
"	"	C. Phillips,	as " Pursuivant.
"	"	I. C. Alguire,	as " } Stewards.
"	"	— Blackburn,	as " }

And a number of the brethren hailing from the following and other lodges:—Ancient St. John's, No. 8, Kingston; Sussex, No. 5, and Salem, No. 868, Brockville; Simpson, No. 157, Newboro; Macoy, No. 242, Mallorytown; Rising Sun, No. 85, Farmersville; Leeds, No. 201, Gananoque.

The Grand Lodge was opened in *form*, at high noon, by B. W. Bro. Richard T. Walkem, Q. C., D. D. G. M., St. Lawrence District, who informed the brethren that the Most Worshipful the Grand Master had deputed him as his representative to perform the ceremony of laying the corner-stone of Christ Church, (Church of England), about to be erected at the Village of Farmersville.

A procession was then formed in accordance with the rules of the Constitution, which, headed by the clergy in their robes, and a band of music, proceeded to the site of the new church, where a large concourse of spectators had assembled.

A hymn having been sung, and prayer having been offered up by the Grand Chaplain, the acting Grand Secretary read a scroll, which was in the following words:—

**In the name and by the favor of the Glorious Architect of
Heaven and Earth,**

**On the 21st day of June, 1888, and of the Masonic Era, A.
L., 5888, and in the 47th year of the reign of our
gracious Sovereign,
Victoria,**

**Queen of Great Britain and Ireland, Empress of India, and
the Dependencies in Europe, Asia, Africa, Australasia,
Dominion of Canada, etc.**

**His Excellency the Right Honorable the Marquis of Lorne,
K. T., G. C. M. G., P. C., being Governor-General of
Canada.**

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of newspapers, was placed in a cavity, and the corner-stone lowered to its proper position, to the music of the band.

The stone was then tested under the direction of the acting Grand Master, by the Grand Junior Warden, with the plumb and rule, the Grand Senior Warden with the level, and the Deputy Grand Master with the square; and the tests being satisfactory, the acting Grand Master struck the stone three times with his gavel, and completed the work, saying: Well made, well proved, truly laid, true and trusty, and may this undertaking be completed by the craftsmen according to the Grand Plan in peace, harmony, and brotherly love.

The stone was then strewn with Corn, moistened with Wine, and annointed with Oil, and as he performed these ceremonies the acting Grand Master said:—"I strew corn upon the stone as an emblem of plenty; I pour wine upon it as an emblem of cheerfulness; and I annoint it with oil as an emblem of comfort and consolation. May corn, wine and oil, and all the necessaries of life abound among men, and may the blessing of the Supreme Architect of the Universe be upon this edifice and all connected with it.

The usual Grand Honors having been given, the acting Grand Master addressed the brethren and the large concourse of people who had assembled, to the following effect:—

Men and Brethren,—It is peculiarly proper that the work in which we have just been engaged should have been performed by a Free and Accepted Mason, who, as such, is entitled to claim connection with the great builders of ancient times, and with those noble bands of men who, in distant ages, were enrolled in corporations which made the study and practice of architecture their business and their pleasure.

Some whom I now address may not be aware that on the roll of our Masonic ancestors we find the names of Solomon, King of Israel; Hiram, King of Tyre, and Hiram Abiff, who-

co-operated under the direction of the Great Architect of the Universe in the building of the most notable structure in history,—the Temple at Jerusalem; and that our Masonic descent may be traced through the colleges of builders established in the year 715 before Christ, by the Roman King Numa Pompilius, celebrated for his love of peace and the arts.

To the labors of these colleges, and their successors who accompanied the Roman armies and the Roman civilization, England and Continental Europe owe many of those superb structures whose very ruins excite awe and admiration, and which, like the sculptures of ancient Greece, defy modern competition.

Boasting such an origin, we say truly that it is our duty and pleasure to promote the erection of stately and superb edifices, particularly those which are dedicated to the worship of the Great Architect of the Universe, whom every Mason is taught as a part of his creed to reverence, love and adore. We congratulate you, men and brethren, on the erection of this edifice, and we earnestly pray that it may be happily and successfully completed, may be a blessing to your neighborhood, and may be the means of promoting the glory of God and the cause of morality and truth.

It has sometimes been alleged by those ignorant of the principles of our art, that they are calculated to neutralize the influence of religious teaching, and to render men indifferent to the ordinances of religion. I cannot believe that a system of morality such as Masonry is, which has for its object the promotion of brotherly love, relief and truth, can possibly be opposed, or be other than a hand-maid, to religion. Indeed, the objects of Masonry and religion, as respects their effects upon the life of this world, appear to be in many respects identical, and in no wise inconsistent with each other. Were it otherwise, I am satisfied that many men of different religious creeds, eminent for their piety, who are

and have long been active members of our Order, would have gone out from amongst us.

The objects of Masonry are thus summarized by an eminent author:—

“To efface from among men the prejudices of caste, the conventional distinctions of color, origin, opinion, or nationality; to annihilate fanaticism and superstition; extirpate national discord, and with it extinguish the firebrand of war; in a word, to arrive by free and pacific progress at one formula, or model of eternal and universal right, according to which each individual human being shall be free to develop every faculty with which he may be endowed, and to concur heartily and with all the fullness of his strength in the bestowment of happiness upon all; and thus to make of the whole human race one family of brothers, united by affection, wisdom and labor.”

The doctrines of Masonry are utterly opposed to those theories which have lately become current amongst many scientific men, and which tend to promote Agnosticism and create disbelief in that Almighty Being at whose fiat we are taught to believe that all things were created.

A belief in the Supreme being is an essential condition of entrance to a Masonic lodge; and in his progress through the various degrees the Mason is constantly reminded of the power, the presence, and the goodness of God. Let religion then not reject Masonry, but embrace her as her ally and supporter in the contest with unbelief and the evil influences of the world.

It has been my pleasant duty during the past week to forward to several lodges dispensations to attend divine service on St. John the Baptist day, a day sacred in the annals of Masonry from ancient times.

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J. J. Maxon

Grand Secretary.

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A constitutional number of Lodges being represented, the Grand Lodge was opened in *Ample Form*, at 8 p. m., and the acting Grand Chaplain implored a blessing from the G. A. O. T. U. upon all the proceedings.

The Board of General Purposes, as required by the Constitution, appointed R. W. Bros. R. Hendry, Jr., R. B. Hungerford, and Wm. Kerr, a Committee on the Credentials of Representatives and Proxies from Lodges, who reported the following as being present, viz.:—

No. 2 Niagara Lodge, Niagara.

M. W. Bro. James Seymour, P. M., Proxy.

No. 3 The Ancient St. John's Lodge, Kingston.

W. Bro. H. J. Saunders, W. M.; Bros. H. J. Wilkinson, S. W.; James Yule, J. W.; M. W. Bro. Jas. A. Henderson, P. M.; R. W. Bros. G. M. Wilkinson, P. M.; R. T. Walkem, P. M.; W. Bro. S. G. Fairtlough, P. M.

No. 5 Sussex Lodge, Brockville.

W. Bro. W. J. Simpson, W. M.

No. 6 Barton Lodge, Hamilton.

W. Bro. G. E. Mason, W. M.; R. W. Bro. J. W. Murton, P. M.; W. Bro. Wm. Gibson, P. M.

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No. 24.

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Ontario Lodge, Port Hope.

W. Bro. D. J. Goggin, W. M.; R. W. Bro. J. B. Trayes, P.M.

Strict Observance Lodge, Hamilton.

W. Bro. B. J. Morgan, W. M.; R. W. Bros. J. J. Mason, P. M.; David McLellan, P. M.; R. L. Gunn, P. M.; V. W. Bro. J. M. Gibson, P. M.; W. Bro. F. F. Dalley, P. M.

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Thistle Lodge, Amherstburg.

R. W. Bro. E. Allworth, Proxy.

Welland Lodge, Fonthill.

W. Bro. J. Ward, W. M.

King Hiram Lodge, Ingersoll.

W. Bro. Wm. Thompson, W. M.; R. W. Bro. P. J. Brown, P. M.

Mount Zion Lodge, Brooklyn.

W. Bro. W. H. Brown, W. M.; R. W. Bro. J. B. Bickell, P. M.

St. John's Lodge, Hamilton.

W. Bro. A. Doherty, W. M.; R. W. Bro. W. G. Reid, P.M.; V. W. Bro. J. B. Bishop, P. M.; W. Bro. J. A. Malcolm, P. M.

St. George's Lodge, Kingsville.

R. W. Bro. E. Allworth, P. M., Proxy.

St. George's Lodge, London.

W. Bro. Geo. Angus, P.M., Proxy; R. W. Bro. Isaac Waterman, P. M.; W. Bro. A. Ellis, jr., P. M.

King Solomon's Lodge, Woodstock.

W. Bro. Geo. J. Fraser, W. M.

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- No. 52. Dalhousie L
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- No. 55. Merrickville Lo
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- No. 57. Harmony Lod
W. Bro. Rev. Geo. Chry
- No. 58. Doric Lodge
W. Bro. A. Smirle, W. M
Bros. Wm. Kerr, P. M.; J
J. J. Smyth, P. M.; W. E
- No. 61. Acacia Lodge,
W. Bro. Alex. McKay, W.
P. M.; E. Mitchell, P. M.
- No. 62. St. Andrew's Lodge
W. Bro. Jas. Old, jr., W. M
W.; R. W. Bro. E. Mitchel
- No. 63. St. John's Lodge, C
W. Bro. R. F. Preston W

Rehoboam Lodge, Toronto.

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A. W. McLachlan, J. W.; M. W. Bro. D. Spry, P. M.; R.
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W. Bro. J. K. Brydon, P. M.**

Durham Lodge, Newcastle.

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St. John's Lodge, Ingersoll.

W. Bro. James Badden, W. M.

Stirling Lodge, Stirling.

W. Bro. James Tulloch, W. M.

St. James' Lodge, St. Mary's.

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P. M.; W. Bro. Rev. J. T. Wright, P. M.**

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P. M.; W. Bro. John Moore, P. M.**

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Oxford Lodge, Woodstock.

W. Bro. William McKay, W. M.

Faithful Brethren Lodge, Lindsay.

W. Bros. J. W. Wallace, Proxy; George Ingle, P. M.

Simcoe Lodge, Bradford.

M. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, Proxy.

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V. W. Bro. H. G. Lindsay, P. M., Proxy.

Beaver Lodge, Strathroy.

W. Bro. W. H. Grant, P. M., Proxy.

Clinton Lodge, Clinton.

W. Bro. W. G. Duff, Proxy.

Rising Sun Lodge, Farmersville.

W. Bro. William Johnston, W. M.

No. 86.

Wilson Lodge, Toronto.

W. Bro. J. Raffan, W. M.; Bro. Joseph Clare, S. W.; R. W. Bros. Kivas Tully, P. M.; Thomas Sargant, P. M.; V. W. Bro. Alexander Patterson, P. M.

No. 87.

Markham Union Lodge, Markham.

V. W. Bro. G. R. Vanzant, W. M.

No. 88.

St. George's Lodge, Owen Sound.

V. W. Bro. R. McKnight, P. M., Proxy; R. W. Bro. Henry Macpherson, P. M.

No. 89.

King Hiram Lodge, Lindsay.

W. Bro. J. W. Wallace, P. M., Proxy.

No. 90.

Manito Lodge, Collingwood.

W. Bro. W. R. Anderson, W. M.; R. W. Bro. Henry Robertson, P. M.

No. 92.

Cataragui Lodge, Kingston.

W. Bro. A. Shaw, W. M.

No. 93.

Northern Light Lodge, Kincardine.

W. Bro. E. Miller, W. M.; R. W. Bro. DeWitt H. Martyn, P. M.

No. 96.

Corinthian Lodge, Barrie.

V. W. Bro. C. L. Sanders, W. M.; M. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, P. M.

No. 97.

Sharon Lodge, Sharon.

W. Bro. A. Borngasser, W. M.

No. 99.

Tuscan Lodge, New Market.

W. Bro. D. W. Mayes, P. M., Proxy.

No. 100.

Valley Lodge, Dundas.

V. W. Bro. H. Bickford, P. M., Proxy.

No. 101.

Corinthian Lodge, Peterboro'.

W. Bro. R. E. Wood, W. M.; R. W. Bro. E. H. D. Hall, P. M.

No. 103.

Maple Leaf Lodge, St. Catherines.

M. W. Bro. James Seymour, P. M., Proxy.

No. 104.

St. John's Lodge, Norwich.

W. Bro. A. H. S. Hill, W. M.

- No. 105. St. Mark's Lodge, Drummondville.
V. W. Bro. Wm. Forbes, Proxy.
- No. 107. St. Paul's Lodge, Lambeth.
W. Bro. J. Fitzallen, Proxy; R. W. Bro. L. G. Jarvis, P.M.
- No. 109. Albion Lodge, Harrowsmith.
W. Bro. H. J. Saunders, Proxy.
- No. 110. Central Lodge, Prescott.
Bro. J. A. Mackenzie, S. W.
- No. 112. Maitland Lodge, Goderich.
R. W. Bro. R. Radcliffe, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 113. Wilson Lodge, Waterford.
W. Bro. J. E. York, W. M.; R. W. Bro. E. H. Long, P.M.
- No. 114. Hope Lodge, Port Hope.
R. W. Bro. J. Wright, W. M.
- No. 115. Ivy Lodge, Beamsville.
W. Bro. Wm. Gibson, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 116. Cassia Lodge, Thedford.
W. Bro. Geo. Watt, W. M.
- No. 119. Maple Leaf Lodge, Bath.
W. Bro. Maxwell Robinson, W. M.
- No. 122. Renfrew Lodge, Renfrew.
W. Bro. David Barr, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 123. The Belleville Lodge, Belleville.
W. Bros. Jas. Macoun, P. M., Proxy; J. P. Thomas, P. M.
- No. 125. Cornwall Lodge, Cornwall.
W. Bro. John Ridley, W. M.
- No. 126. Golden Rule Lodge, Campbellford.
W. Bro. A. G. Knight, W. M.
- No. 127. Franck Lodge, Frankford.
W. Bro. Jas. Tulloch, Proxy.
- No. 128. Pembroke Lodge, Pembroke.
W. Bro. W. J. Douglas, W.M.; Bros. Robt. C. Miller, S.W.;
A. Johnston, J. W.; W. Bros. J. H. Burritt, P. M.; S. E.
Mitchell, P. M.

- No. 129. The Rising Sun Lodge, Aurora.
W. Bros. F. T. Daville, W. M.; G. W. Graham, P. M.
- No. 131. St. Lawrence Lodge, Southampton.
W. Bro. Jas. Dundas, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 135. St. Clair Lodge, Milton.
V. W. Bro. H. Bickford, Proxy.
- No. 136. Richardson Lodge, Stouffville.
W. Bro. W. H. Coulson, W. M.
- No. 137. Pythagoras Lodge, Meaford.
W. Bro. Thos. McCarroll, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 139. Lebanon Lodge, Oshawa.
W. Bro. Robert McCaw, W. M.
- No. 142. Excelsior Lodge, Morrisburg.
V. W. Bro. S. B. Fell, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 143. Friendly Brothers' Lodge, Iroquois.
Bro. T. S. Edwards, S. W.
- No. 144. Tecumseh Lodge, Stratford.
W. Bro. Wm. H. Hurrell, W. M.
- No. 146. Prince of Wales Lodge, Newburgh.
W. Bro. Jas. Mulholland, W. M.
- No. 147. Mississippi Lodge, Almonte.
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W. Bro. D. B. Dewar, W. M.
- No. 153. Burns Lodge, Wyoming.
W. Bro. S. Howden, Proxy.
- No. 154. Irving Lodge, Lucan.
W. Bro. John Murdy, W. M.

Peterborough Lodge, Peterborough.

W. Bro. W. Paterson, jr., W. M.

York Lodge, Eglington.

W. Bro. John McCarter, W. M.

Simpson Lodge, Newboro.

W. Bro. G. F. Reynolds, W. M.

Alexandra Lodge, Oil Springs.

W. Bro. Rev. David Armstrong, Proxy.

Goodwood Lodge, Richmond.

V. W. Bro. John Satchell, W. M.

Percy Lodge, Warkworth.

W. Bro. Fred Bailey, W. M.

Star in the East Lodge, Wellington.

W. Bro. B. H. Young, P. M., Proxy.

Wentworth Lodge, Stoney Creek.

W. Bro. Horace Coombs, W. M.; R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray, P. M.

Merritt Lodge, Welland.

W. Bro. E. H. Burgar, W. M.

Macnab Lodge, Port Colborne.

W. Bro. A. K. Scholfield, P. M., Proxy.

Britannia Lodge, Seafarth.

W. Bro. W. G. Duff, W. M.

Prince of Wales Lodge, Iona.

W. Bro. Neil Dewar, W. M.; R. W. Bro. J. Cascaden, P. M.

Spartan Lodge, Sparta.

R. W. Bro. R. B. Hungerford, Proxy.

The Builder's Lodge, Ottawa.

W. Bro. David Taylor, W. M.; Bro. Thomas Wensley, J. W.; R. W. Bro. E. B. Butterworth, P. M.; V. W. Bro. Wm. Rea, P. M.; W. Bros. Edwin Daubney, P. M., J. C. Kearns, P. M.

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W. Bro. Thomas Allshire, W. M.
- No. 180.** **Speed Lodge, Guelph.**
W. Bro. H. K. Maitland, W. M.; R. W. Bro. John Scott
P. M.
- No. 184.** **Old Light Lodge, Lucknow.**
W. Bro. John Matheson, W. M.
- No. 189.** **Filius Viduae Lodge, Adolphustown.**
W. Bro. C. R. Allison, W. M.
- No. 190.** **Belmont Lodge, Belmont.**
W. Bro. J. S. Dewar, Proxy.
- No. 195.** **The Tuscan Lodge, London.**
R. W. Bros. R. B. Hungerford, P. M., Proxy; Isaac Wat
man, P. M.; W. Bro. A. G. Smyth, P. M.
- No. 197.** **Saugeen Lodge, Walkerton.**
W. Bro. W. A. Green, W. M.
- No. 200.** **St. Alban's Lodge, Mt. Forest.**
R. W. Bro. John McLaren, Proxy.
- No. 200a.** **St. John's Lodge, London.**
Bro. Alex. McDonald, J. W.; W. Bro. J. S. Dewar, P. M.
- No. 209.** **Evergreen Lodge, Lanark.**
W. Bro. J. H. Bothwell, W. M.
- No. 212.** **Elysian Lodge, Garden Island.**
W. Bro. R. Raymond, W. M.
- No. 215.** **Lake Lodge, Amellsburg.**
W. Bro. Robert Dick, Proxy.
- No. 216.** **Harris Lodge, Orangeville.**
R. W. Bro. John McLaren, P. M.
- No. 218.** **Stevenson Lodge, Toronto.**
W. Bro. John Patton, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 219.** **Credit Lodge, Georgetown.**
W. Bro. James Newton, W. M.; Bro. George Ande
S. W.; W. Bro. Wm. Freeman, P. M.

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W. Bro. E. Culverhouse, W. M.

Marmora Lodge, Marmora.

W. Bro. Thomas Warren, W. M.

Norwood Lodge, Norwood.

W. Bro. W. H. Stephenson, W. M.

Zurich Lodge, Hensall.

R. W. Bro. R. Radcliffe, Proxy.

Bernard Lodge, Listowel.

W. Bro. T. G. Fennell, W. M.

Ionic Lodge, Brampton.

W. Bro. A. Morton, W. M.

Kerr Lodge, Barrie.

M. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, P. M., Proxy.

Lodge of Fidelity, Ottawa.

W. Bro. J. A. Campbell, W. M.; Bro. J. Bruce, J. W.; R. W. Bro. E. Barber, P. M.; V. W. Bros. Wm. Rea, P. M.; E. Plant, P. M.; W. Bro. A. Chatfield, P. M.

Cameron Lodge, Wallacetown.

R. W. Bro. J. Cascaden, Proxy.

Doric Lodge, Park Hill.

W. Bro. W. H. Grant, Proxy.

Beaver Lodge, Clarksburg.

R. W. Bro. Henry Macpherson, Proxy.

Havelock Lodge, Watford.

W. Bro. S. Howden, W. M.; R. W. Bro. N. J. Lindsay, P. M.

Quinte Lodge, Shannonville.

W. Bro. A. McGinnis, Proxy.

Ashlar Lodge, Yorkville.

W. Bros. S. Percy, W. M.; W. S. Robinson, P. M.

- No. 250. Thistle Lodge, Embro.
W. Bro. Geo. J. Fraser, Proxy.
- No. 251. Minden Lodge, Kingston.
W. Bro. W. D. Gordon, W. M.; B. W. Bros. Allan McLean
P. M.; J. Greenfield, P. M.
- No. 255. Sydenham Lodge, Dresden.
W. Bro. R. M. Stuart, W. M.
- No. 256. Farran's Point Lodge, Farrans' Point.
W. Bro. E. C. Robertson, W. M.
- No. 258. Guelph Lodge, Guelph.
R. W. Bro. John Scoon, Proxy.
- No. 260. Washington Lodge, Petrolia.
R. W. Bro. Robert MacKay, Proxy.
- No. 261. Oak Branch Lodge, Innerkip.
W. Bro. Thomas Allshire, Proxy.
- No. 262. Harriston Lodge, Harriston.
W. Bro. A. J. Stewart, W. M.
- No. 264. Chaudiere Lodge, Ottawa.
W. Bro. S. Booth, W. M.; Bro. W. H. Morgan, J. W.
- No. 265. Patterson Lodge, Thornhill.
Bro. T. A. Hewitt, J. W.
- No. 266. Northern Light Lodge, Stayner.
W. Bros. W. Watson, W. M.; R. M. Perdue, P. M.
- No. 267. Parthenon Lodge, Chatham.
W. Bro. N. J. Bogart, W. M.
- No. 269. Brougham Union Lodge, Brougham.
W. Bro. John Palmer, W. M.
- No. 270. Cedar Lodge, Oshawa.
W. Bro. Robt. McCaw, Proxy.
- No. 271. Wellington Lodge, Erin.
R. W. Bro. John McLaren, Proxy,

Seymour Lodge, Ancaster.

V. W. Bro. H. Bickford, Proxy.

Kent Lodge, Blenheim.

R. W. Bro. T. C. Macnabb, Proxy.

Mystic Lodge, Roslin.

W. Bro. A. McGinnis, P. M.

Lorne Lodge, Glencoe.

V. W. Bro. H. G. Lindsay, Proxy.

Eureka Lodge, Belleville.

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R. W. Bro. W. L. Hamilton, P. M.**

St. John's Lodge, Brussels.

R. W. Bro. R. Radcliffe, Proxy.

Seven Star Lodge, Alliston.

R. W. Bro. Henry Robertson, Proxy.

Shuniah Lodge, P. Arthur's Landing.

M. W. Bro. D. Spry, Proxy.

Doric Lodge, Lobo.

R. W. Bro. R. B. Hungerford, Proxy.

Leamington Lodge, Leamington.

R. W. Bro. E. Allworth, Proxy.

Dufferin Lodge, West Flamboro.

W. Bro. A. Cochrane, W. M.

Robertson Lodge, Nobleton.

W. Bro. Hugh Kennedy, W. M.

Moore Lodge, Mooretown.

W. Bro. Rev. David Armstrong, W. M.

Preston Lodge, Preston.

R. W. Bro. Otto Klotz, P. M., Proxy.

Victoria Lodge, Centreville.

W. Bro. H. A. Baker, W. M.

- No. 802.** St. David's Lodge, St. Thomas.
W. Bro. Alex. Hess, W. M.
- No. 803.** Blyth Lodge, Blyth.
W. Bro. W. L. Ouimette, W. M.
- No. 804.** Minerva Lodge, Craigvale.
V. W. Bro. C. L. Sanders, Proxy.
- No. 805.** Humber Lodge, Weston.
W. Bro. John Linton, W. M.
- No. 807.** Arkona Lodge, Arkona.
W. Bro. Geo. Watt, Proxy.
- No. 809.** Morning Star Lodge, Smith's Hill.
W. Bro. W. L. Ouimette, Proxy.
- No. 811.** Blackwood Lodge, Woodbridge.
R. W. Bro. Thos. Sargent, Proxy, V. W. Bro. E. T. Ma
P. M.
- No. 812.** Pnyx Lodge, Wallaceburgh.
R. W. Bro. T. C. Macnabb, Proxy.
- No. 814.** Blair Lodge, Palmerston.
V. W. Bro. Hugh Hyndman, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 815.** Clifford Lodge, Clifford.
R. W. Bro. John Scoon, Proxy.
- No. 816.** Doric Lodge, Toronto.
W. Bro. Chas. Pearson, W. M.; Bro. John Ritchie, jr., &
R. W. Bro. J. B. Nixon, P. M.; W. Bro. John H. Kn
P. M.
- No. 821.** Walker Lodge, Acton West.
R. W. Bro. W. G. Reid, Proxy.
- No. 822.** North Star Lodge, Owen Sound.
R. W. Bro. John Creasor, P. M., Proxy.
- No. 823.** Alvinston Lodge, Alvinston.
W. Bro. S. Howden, Proxy.

Temple Lodge, Hamilton.

V. W. Bro. J. M. Gibson, P. M., Proxy; R. W. Bros, E. Mitchell, P. M.; Hugh Murray, P. M.; David McLellan, P. M.; R. L. Guzm, P. M.; V. W. Bro. C. Lemon, P. M.; W. Bro. W. Gibson, P. M.

Orono Lodge, Orono.

W. Bro. Wm. Thompson, W. M.

Zetland Lodge, Toronto.

V. W. Bro. E. T. Malone, P. M., Proxy; M. W. Bro. D. Spry, P. M.; R. W. Bros. J. B. Nixon, P. M.; J. Ross Robertson, P. M.; R. J. Hovenden, P. M.; Thos. Sargent, P. M.; J. G. Burns, P. M.

Ionic Lodge, Napier.

W. Bro. J. W. Cameron, P. M., Proxy.

Corinthian Lodge, London East.

W. Bro. Robt. Benney, W. M.; R. W. Bro. Isaac Waterman, P. M.

Stratford Lodge, Stratford.

W. Bro. Alex. Hamilton, W. M.

Prince Arthur Lodge, Flesherton.

W. Bro. Matthew Richardson, W. M.

Prince Arthur Lodge, Arthur.

R. W. Bro. John McLaren, Proxy.

Orient Lodge, Don Mount.

W. Bro. John Jones, W. M.; Bro. Ira Bates, S. W.; R. W. Bro. J. G. Burns, P. M.; W. Bros. J. K. Brydon, P. M.; J. Knox Leslie, P. M.

Merrill Lodge, Dorchester Station.

R. W. Bro. L. G. Jarvis, Proxy.

Occident Lodge, Toronto.

W. Bro. James R. Dunn, W. M.

Georgian Lodge, Penetanguishene.

V. W. Bro. C. L. Sanders, Proxy.

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Elgin Lodge, St. Thomas.

W. Bro. L. Slater, Proxy.

No. 355.

Clandeboye Lodge, Perth.

W. Bro. W. H. Grant, W. M.

No. 356.

River Park Lodge, Streetsville.

W. Bro. George A. Joyce, W. M.

No. 357.

Waterdown Lodge, Waterdown.

W. Bro. D. H. Hunter, P. M., Proxy.

No. 358.

Delaware Valley Lodge, Delaware.

W. Bro. John Fitzallen, W. M.

No. 359.

Vittoria Lodge, Vittoria.

R. W. Bro. Wm. Kennedy, P. M., Proxy.

No. 360.

Muskoka Lodge, Bracebridge.

V. W. Bro. Isaac Huber, W. M.

No. 361.

Waverley Lodge, Guelph.

R. W. Bro. John Scoon, Proxy.

No. 362.

Maple Leaf Lodge, Tara.

W. Bro. H. W. Hicks, W. M.

No. 363.

Frontenac Lodge, Cataraqui.

W. Bro. W. Waddington, Jr., Proxy.

No. 364.

Dufferin Lodge, Melbourne.

V. W. Bro. H. G. Lindsay, Proxy.

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Euclid Lodge, Strathroy.

W. Bro. Cyrus Bixel, W. M.

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St. George Lodge, Toronto.

W. Bro. John A. Wills, P. M., Proxy.

No. 368.

Salem Lodge, Brockville.

R. W. Bro. J. W. Pickup, P. M., Proxy.

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Mimico Lodge, Lambton.

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R. W. Bros. J. Ross Robertson, P. M.; J. G. Burns, 1

Harmony Lodge, Delta.

W. Bro. Omer Brown, W. M.

Prince of Wales Lodge, Ottawa.

W. Bro. G. S. Macfarlane, W. M.; Bros. T. Porter, S. W.;
W. Northwood, J. W.; R. W. Bro. Samuel Rogers, P. M.

Palmer Lodge, Victoria.

R. W. Bro. J. Ross Robertson, Proxy.

Copestone Lodge, Welland.

W. Bro. M. W. Bridgman, P. M., Proxy; R. W. Bro. J.
Murison Dunn, P. M.

Keene Lodge, Keene.

W. Bro. W. Paterson, Jr., Proxy.

Lorne Lodge, Omemee.

W. Bro. J. W. Wallace, Proxy.

Lorne Lodge, Shelbourne.

W. Bro. W. H. Dickson, Proxy.

King Solomon's Lodge, Petersville.

W. Bro. John B. Smyth, P. M.

Middlesex Lodge, Bryanston.

R. W. Bro. L. G. Jarvis, Proxy.

Union Lodge, London.

W. Bro. O. J. Bridle, W. M.; R. W. Bros. B. B. Hunger-
ford, P. M.; L. G. Jarvis, P. M.

Doric Lodge, Hamilton.

W. Bro. R. E. Gallagher, W. M.; R. W. Bros. J. J. Mason,
P. M.; R. L. Gunn, P. M.

Henderson Lodge, West Winchester.

W. Bro. Alex. Cameron, W. M.

Alpha Lodge, Parkdale.

W. Bro. George J. Bennett, W. M.

Spry Lodge, Beeton.

Bro. J. C. Morrison, S. W.; M. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, P. M.;
W. Bro. W. H. Dickson, P. M.

- No. 383.** **McColl Lodge, West Lorne.**
R. W. Bro. J. Cascaden, Proxy.
- No. 384.** **Henderson Lodge, Elderton.**
W. Bro. J. S. Dewar, Proxy.
- No. 385.** **Florence Lodge, Florence.**
W. Bro. R. M. Stuart, Proxy.
- No. 386.** **Forest Lodge, Chealey.**
W. Bro. J. Stephens, W. M.
- No. 387.** **King Solomon Lodge, Thamesford.**
W. Bro. James Badden, Proxy.
- No. 388.** **Parvaim Lodge, Comber.**
R. W. Bro. E. Allworth, Proxy.
- No. 389.** **Cedar Lodge, Wlarton.**
W. Bro. H. W. Hicks, Proxy.
- No. 390.** **Leopold Lodge, Brigden.**
W. Bro. Rev. David Armstrong, Proxy.
- No. 391.** **Victoria Lodge, Victoria Road.**
W. Bro. W. R. Cavana, P. M.
- No. 392.** **Moffat Lodge, Harrietsville.**
R. W. Bro. L. G. Jarvis, Proxy.
- U. D.** **Oakville Lodge, Oakville.**
W. Bro. John Kaiting, W. M.
- U. D.** **Craig Lodge, Deseronto.**
R. W. Bro. Donald Ross, P. M.

The M. W. the Grand Master granted permission for the admission of all Master Masons in good standing, as visitors.

The Grand Secretary read the rules and regulations for the government of Grand Lodge during time of business.

The Grand Secretary commenced reading the minutes of proceedings at the last Annual Communication, when

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It was moved by R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray, seconded by R. W. Bro. Otto Klotz, and

RESOLVED,—That the minutes of the proceedings of Grand Lodge at its Twenty-Seventh Annual Communication, held at the city of London, on the 12th and 13th days of July, A. D. 1882, having been printed, and copies thereof forwarded to the Subordinate Lodges, the same be considered as read and now confirmed, and that the minutes of the several Special Communications of Grand Lodge, entered by the Grand Secretary in the Minute Book, be taken as read, and are hereby confirmed.

DISTINGUISHED VISITORS.

The following distinguished visitors were announced, introduced, and received with Grand Honors, namely:—

M. W. Bro. E. R. Johnson, Grand Master, Grand Lodge of Quebec.

M. W. Bro. John H. Graham, Past Grand Master, Grand Lodge of Quebec.

M. W. Bro. George O. Tyler, Past Grand Master, Grand Lodge of Quebec.

M. W. Bro. W. J. B. McLeod Moore, Past Grand Master, Grand Lodge of Quebec.

R. W. Bro. J. Fred. Walker, D. D. G. M., Grand Lodge of Quebec.

R. W. Bro. Timothy Leet, P. D. D. G. M., Grand Lodge of Quebec.

R. W. Bro. A. G. Adams, G. J. W., Grand Lodge of Quebec.

R. W. Bro. I. H. Stearns, Grand Treasurer, Grand Lodge of Quebec.

V. W. Bro. W. Simpson Walker, P. G. J. D., Grand Lodge of Quebec.

REGRETS.

Letters were received and read from M. W. Bro. J. K. Kerr, R. W. Bro. S. B. Harman, and V. W. Bros. C. H. Sparling, and C. W. Brown, regretting their inability to be present at this Annual Communication of Grand Lodge.

GRAND MASTER'S ADDRESS.

The Most Worshipful the Grand Master delivered the following address to the Brethren assembled in Grand Communication:—

BRETHREN OF GRAND LODGE:

Standing upon the threshold of a new Masonic year, we may pause for a moment, before commencing the work which our hands will find to do, and take a retrospective glance at the events which have occurred, and the progress which Masonry has made in our jurisdiction since last we met to take counsel together. The year which has gone has had its pleasures and its trials, its doubts and its difficulties, and yet, through all, the sun of prosperity has shone brightly, and the future is full of hope. Many have been added to our ranks, while here and there a gap tells of a well-beloved comrade who fought the good fight ere being called away to the undissolving Lodge above. It therefore becomes those of us who have been spared, to return thanks to the Great Architect of the Universe, for the protecting care and manifold blessings which He has permitted us to enjoy. That He will so guide our deliberations that they may redound to His glory, the benefit of the Fraternity, and the good of mankind, will, I am sure, be the heartfelt prayer of every member of the Craft in this much-favored land.

DEATHS.

We are again reminded of the uncertainty of all earthly things, and are called upon to mourn the departure of some of the prominent members of the Order.

M. W. Bro. William Benjamin Simpson, died at his residence, Coteau du Lac, Province of Quebec, on Sunday, the 3rd June, 1883. He was born, of English parentage, on the 26th July, 1818, at Augusta, then in Upper Canada. He was initiated into Freemasonry in Sussex Lodge, Brockville, 2nd March, 1853, and soon became an active and energetic Craftsman, having held various offices in the lodge of which he was a member. He was present at the meeting held at Niagara Falls, in July, 1855, for the purpose of considering the propriety of forming Provincial Grand Lodges for Upper Canada, and at his suggestion it was decided to call a convention which resulted in the organization of a Grand Lodge at Hamilton, on the 10th October, 1855. M. W. Bro. Simpson was then elected D. D. G. M. for the Central District; in 1860 he was elected D. G. M., and held that office until the 15th of July, 1864, when he was elected G. M., and continued in office two years. He was buried with all the honors which Masonry can bestow, the funeral being conducted by the Grand Lodge of Quebec, attended largely by the members of our Fraternity. M. W. Bro. A. A. Stevenson, P. G. M., kindly acted as my representative and the representative of this Grand Lodge. Our late brother's management of the affairs of the Grand Lodge during his term of office was marked by the highest regard for the principles of the Craft, and a firm adherence to what he considered right. As a Freemason he was respected; as a citizen he was honored for his upright character and personal worth, and in Grand Lodge he will be remembered with his respected predecessors, M. W. Bros. W. M. Wilson, W. H. Weller, and T. Douglas Harington.

R. W. Bro. Henry Turner died October 12th, 1882. At the time of his death he was the representative of this Grand Lodge, near the Grand Lodge of New York. He was an earnest Freemason and was highly esteemed in the Grand Lodge of which he was a member.

R. W. Bro. Thomas Matheson died May 2nd, 1888. He was a P. M. of Tudor Lodge, No. 141, Mitchell, and D. D. G. M. of the Huron District, 1868-69.

R. W. Bro. George L. Allen died at Toronto, July 26th, 1882. He was a P. M. of King Solomon's Lodge, No. 22, and D. D. G. M. Toronto District 1856-57.

R. W. Bro. William T. Bray died at Wingham, September 17th, 1882. He held many offices in the Craft, and at the time of his death was Grand Junior Warden. In company with R. W. Bro. R. Radcliffe, D. D. G. M., and R. W. Bro. J. Ross Robertson, the Grand Senior Warden, and other members of the Craft, I attended his funeral and assisted in performing the last sad rites of the Fraternity. Few members of Grand Lodge had more personal friends, or were more highly revered than our late brother.

R. W. Bro. Horace Merrill died 22nd May, 1888. He was a P. M. of Dalhousie Lodge, No. 52, Ottawa, and Grand Junior Warden 1872-78.

V. W. Bro. Samuel White, Grand Steward of Grand Lodge, died at Peterborough, September 1st, 1882. He labored for the good of Masonry, and was respected by his brethren.

ADDRESS TO THE QUEEN.

The Committee appointed at the last Annual Communication to prepare an address to Her Most Gracious Majesty the Queen, performed their duty, and the address, beautifully engrossed, was taken charge of by M. W. Bro. A. A. Stevenson, P. G. M., who, while on a visit to England, presented it through the proper channel. Since that time we have all been deeply pained to learn of the accident which occurred to Her Majesty, and from which she is now happily recovering. The painful rumors regarding the state of her health alarmed the millions of her loyal and loving subjects, who

revere and love her for being the best and noblest example of what a Constitutional Sovereign should be; while the good and pure of all nations honor her for her many virtues and noble life, and will join with us in praying that God may be pleased to spare her

Long to reign over us,
Happy and glorious,
God Save the Queen!

NEW LODGES.

Dispensations for the formation of new lodges have been granted as follows:—

1. Oakville Lodge, Oakville, County Halton, 16th Nov., 1882.
2. Lorne Lodge, Tamworth, County Addington, 6th March, 1883.
3. Craig Lodge, Deseronto, County Hastings, 15th March, 1883.
4. Central Lodge, Essex Centre, County Essex, 7th June, 1883.

DISPENSATIONS DECLINED.

I have declined to grant Dispensations for organizing new lodges as follows:—

Eastern Star, Colebrook, County Addington.
Rodney, Rodney, County Elgin.
Windsor, Windsor, County Essex.
Garrison, Kingston, County Frontenac.

These applications I now place before Grand Lodge, as I did not consider the reasons assigned for opening the proposed lodges sufficient to justify me in granting Dispensations. I am of opinion that we have quite enough lodges for all practical purposes, and for the benefit of Freemasonry, except in new sections of the country, and that it is better to strengthen and support those now in existence than to weaken them by organizing small lodges in every surrounding locality. As warrants to military lodges have not been granted heretofore, I consider it advisable to specially refer the application for a Garrison Lodge at Kingston to Grand Lodge.

do so.

A Duplicate Warrant has been issued No. 127, to replace the original on 27th February, 1883; and granted to Mystic Lodge, No. 127, in continuance of work until the original Warrant to be issued in place has been stolen.

SPECIAL COMMUNICATIONS

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On September 26th, 1882, Lodge, No. 397, was constituted by R. W. Bro. N. J. Lindsay, I.

On 18th May, 1883, at Eglington Lodge, No. 156, was dedicated by W. Bro. John Fisher, D. D. G.

On the 18th June, 1883, at St. Jude's Episcopal Church, Oakville.

On the 21st June, 1883, at the Church, Farmersville, was laid

Barton, No. 6, Hamilton; St. Andrew's, No. 16, Toronto, to be present at a gathering of the old members of that lodge; Ionic, No. 25, Toronto; Corinthian, No. 96, Barrie; Kerr, No. 230, Barrie; Doric, No. 316, Toronto; on the occasion of a visit to Toronto of the members of Washington Lodge, Buffalo, Zetland, No. 326, Toronto, and Alpha, No. 384, Parkdale, to attend a conversazione given by the latter lodge, when I was honored with an address of welcome.

On the 27th December, 1882, I attended a reception in Hamilton, given in my honor, by the several lodges of that city, and was accompanied by M. W. Bro. James Seymour, P. G. M.; R. W. Bros. Hugh Murray, D. G. M.; Thomas Clark, D. D. G. M.; E. Mitchell, G. T.; J. J. Mason, G. S.; Otto Klotz, P. D. D. G. M.; J. B. Nixon, P. D. D. G. M.; David McLellan, P. G. S. W.; V. W. Bro. Henry Bickford, Assistant Grand Secretary, and a large number of members of the Grand Lodge. About 1,400 ladies and gentlemen were present at the reception and entertainment. An address, beautifully engrossed, was presented to me, and the reception was so hearty and enthusiastic that I shall long remember the kindness of my Hamilton brethren.

On the 11th January, 1883, a ball was held at Guelph, under the auspices of the officers of the Grand Lodge. I was unable to be present, but R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray, D. G. M., attended, accompanied by R. W. Bros. Thomas Clark, E. Mitchell, J. J. Mason, and other members of Grand Lodge.

On the 23rd January, 1883, I attended a ball at Barrie, given under the auspices of the officers of the Grand Lodge. As a resident of that town, I was much gratified to have present R. W. Bros. Hugh Murray, D. G. M.; Otto Klotz, P. D. D. G. M.; J. J. Mason, Grand Secretary; V. W. Bro. C. W. Brown, Assistant Grand Organist; and C. L. Sanders, Grand Pursuivant.

On the 5th April, 1888, I visited a lodge of instruction held by R. W. Bro. L. G. Jarvis, D. D. G. M., at Strathroy. It was conducted with great ability, the work done being correct in almost every particular. The brethren of the district present were much pleased with the instruction imparted, and expressed their keen appreciation of the indefatigable exertions of their D. D. G. M. in his efforts to have the lodges in his district properly worked.

COMMISSIONS.

I have made the following appointments :—R. W. Bro. R. T. Walkem, D. D. G. M., St. Lawrence District, on the 2nd November, 1882, in place of R. W. Bro. J. H. Kenning, who notified me of his removal from the Province. R. W. Bro. James Greenfield, Grand Junior Warden, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of R. W. Bro. W. T. Bray.

R. W. Bro. Sidney F. Walker, on the 2nd November, 1882, as our representative near the Grand Lodge of New York, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of R. W. Bro. H. Turner.

R. W. Bro. E. H. D. Hall, has been appointed representative of the Grand Lodge of Indian Territory, near this Grand Lodge, in the place of R. W. Bro. Robert Ramsay, resigned.

NEW GRAND LODGES.

On the 8rd December, 1877, the Grand Lodge of New South Wales, was formed by the accredited representatives of twelve lodges, four of Irish, and eight of Scotch Register, and the Hon. James Farnell was elected Grand Master. Upon carefully examining the papers, I learn that previous to the formation of the Grand Lodge, all the lodges in the colony were invited to meet in convention, but although they did not all do so, those which met formed a Grand Lodge. This Grand Lodge was not formed until after much consider-

ation had been given to the subject, and after corresponding with the Grand Lodges in this Dominion, it followed the example of the Grand Lodge of Canada, and organized in a legal and constitutional manner a Grand Lodge for the colony of New South Wales. It has now twenty-nine lodges on its Register, and evidently has before it a prosperous career. I have much pleasure in recommending its hearty recognition.

Arizona.—On the 28rd March, 1882, a convention was held at Tuscon, Arizona, at which the accredited representatives of four lodges were present and formed a Grand Lodge. Four of the lodges were on the Register of California, and one on the Register of New Mexico. The only remaining lodge in the State did not take part in the formation of the Grand Lodge, but has since given in its adhesion. I recommend the recognition of this Grand Lodge.

Peru.—On the 25th March, 1882, the accredited representatives of five lodges of York Rite Masons, which, up to that time, had been under the jurisdiction of the Supreme Council of 88rd A. A. S. Rite, met and organized the Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons for the Republic of Peru, and elected Antonio Arenas, G. M. On the 15th May following, the Provincial Grand Lodge of Scotland declared itself dissolved, and four of the five lodges composing it gave in their adhesion to the new Grand Lodge; and the Supreme Council having surrendered all control over Symbolic Lodges in Peru, approved of the formation of the Grand Lodge. I recommend the application for recognition to your consideration.

Spain.—On the 4th of May, 1881, the Grand Lodge of Spain was formed by the representatives of a number of Symbolic Lodges, and elected Juan Antonio Perez, G. M. As there appears to be considerable confusion regarding the several Supreme Masonic Bodies in Spain, it will be as well

to allow this application for recognition to remain in abeyance until we can make further enquiries, and are in possession of such information as will warrant us in recognizing the Grand Lodge.

Mexico.—A communication has been received asking for the recognition of the Grand Lodge of Mexico, but we have nothing to show that this body has been legally constituted.

BENEVOLENCE.

I regret to observe that some of our brethren are in the habit of finding fault with Grand Lodge for accumulating a large amount of money, evidently under the impression that proper regard is not given to applications for assistance. As this is an entire misapprehension, it may be well to state for their information that every proper application for relief is promptly responded to, and that Grand Lodge expended in benevolence from 1867 to 1875, \$32,886, and from 1876 to 1882, both years inclusive, \$71,396.52, or nearly \$10,200 a year has been expended in aiding those requiring assistance, during the past seven years. As the receipts of Grand Lodge are less than \$15,000 a year, omitting interest on investments, and the expenditure over \$15,000, it can easily be seen that had the "spend-as-you-go" policy been followed in the past, it would have been fatal to the financial standing of Grand Lodge at the present time.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE.

The Receipts of Grand Lodge for year ended 31st May, 1883, were.....	\$18,014 90
The Expenditure.....	15,524 52
Excess of Receipts over Expenditure.....	<hr/> \$2,520 38
Cash on hand the same date.....	<hr/> \$67,719 63

FIRE IN KINGSTON, JAMAICA.

In December last a circular was received making appeal

for aid for our brethren who were suffering by the calamitous fire, which occurred at Kingston, Jamaica, in December last. After consulting with the President of the Board of General Purposes, and the President of the Committee on Benevolence, it was deemed advisable to aid our distressed brethren promptly. A draft for £100 stg., or \$488.88, was sent to Jamaica on the 31st January last, and it has been thankfully acknowledged.

IMPOSTORS.

My attention has been called to the necessity which exists for exercising greater caution in admitting visitors to our lodges, and as the complaints of too much laxity appear to be well founded, I am of opinion that it would be advisable to require every visitor, who is not intimately known to the members of the lodge he is about to visit, to produce his Grand Lodge certificate, or a properly authenticated certificate from the lodge from which he is or was last a member.

INFRINGEMENT OF JURISDICTION.

Trenton Lodge, No. 8, Trenton, Michigan, complains that Thistle Lodge, No. 84, Amherstburg, of our jurisdiction, has conferred the degrees of Masonry upon a resident of the jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge of Michigan. The particulars of this case are not known to me. I directed the Grand Secretary to ask for information, and to assure the Grand Master of Michigan that I trust nothing may arise in connection with this matter to disturb the harmony existing between the Grand Bodies, to which communication a friendly letter has been received from the Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of Michigan, stating that the whole subject had been referred to the Grand Master, from whom a communication has since been received, giving the particulars of the case, and assuring me of his desire to have the complaint settled in a fraternal manner.

Irving Lodge, No. 154, Lucan, has initiated a candidate,

Wasca Lodge, No. 15, initiate the candidate in from the W. M. which was his lodge. Assuming this Lodge initiated the candidate could not legally give an rests alone with the G. M. the G. M. of Oregon that interfered with, and trust and amicably adjusted, and will not acknowledge the as a Mason when he returns papers bearing on the case. Lodge of Oregon, have been before you.

INVASION

On the 25th August last Lodge, No. 440, Registry Freemasonry a Mr. George city of Toronto, who had been Doric Lodge, No. 316, Toronto violation of the jurisdictional directed the Grand Secretary notice of the Grand Master of England. He accordingly for

Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of Canada, near the Grand Lodge of England :

R. W. SIR AND BROTHER,—I am directed by the M. W. the Grand Master to request you to bring under the notice of the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of England the action of St. George's Lodge, No. 440, E. R., Montreal, in invading the territory of this Grand Lodge by initiating into Masonry Mr. George W. Hogarth, a resident of the city of Toronto. Mr. Hogarth has been in the employ of the North Western Telegraph Co. and the Montreal Telegraph Co. during the past ten years, and has resided during that period in the city of Toronto, and he is not now, and has not been at any time, a resident of Montreal.

I enclose a certified extract from the minutes of Doric Lodge, No. 816, Toronto, showing that Mr. Hogarth was proposed on the 31st Dec., 1881, and was rejected on the 18th January, 1882.

Your early attention to this matter is respectfully requested.

I am, my Lord,
Yours Faithfully and Fraternally,
J. J. MASON,
G. Secretary.

In answer to which the following letter has been received:—

United Grand Lodge of England,
Freemasons' Hall, Great Queen St.,
London, W. C., 6th November, 1882.

R. W. Bro. J. J. Mason, Grand Secretary Grand Lodge of Canada :

R. W. SIR AND BROTHER,—Lord De Tabley has transmitted to me your letter of the 9th October, in which you convey a protest of the M. W. the Grand Master of Canada against an alleged "Invasion of Territory" of that Grand Lodge on the part of the English Lodge, No. 440, Montreal, by their initiating a gentleman, acknowledged to have been many years in the employ of the Montreal Telegraph Company, but stated to be residing in Toronto, and who had recently been black-balled in a lodge in that town.

Having laid this protest before the M. W. the Grand Master of England, I am commanded, in reply, to remark that it is not easy to understand how the expression "Invasion of Territory" can be applied to a case where a person leaves the jurisdiction of the protesting

Grand Lodge and entering that of another, is initiated therein. It would obviously be inconvenient and impracticable for such a course to be declared against Masonic law, as it would be clearly impossible to lay down where to draw the line. For example, supposing the person in question, instead of going to Montreal had proceeded to England, Ireland or Scotland, for a time, could it be asserted that he could not be made a Mason in those countries? There is certainly no Masonic regulation on this side of the water forbidding it.

I am further to point out that it does not in any way appear that the Montreal lodge was at all aware that their candidate had been black-balled in a Canadian lodge, as stated in your enclosure, and consequently no blame can be attached to Lodge 440 on that account.

The M. W. the Grand Master of England therefore, considering these facts, can only regret that he is unable to coincide with the view taken by the M. W. the Grand Master of Canada on the matter in question.

I remain, R. W. Sir and Brother,

Yours Fraternally,

SHADWELL H. CLERKE, Colonel,

G. S. of England.

The unsatisfactory nature of this reply did not lead to the hope that anything could be gained by further correspondence, and decisive action is evidently required to maintain the dignity and uphold the sovereign rights of this Grand Lodge. If we accept this letter as a declaration of the Masonic principles which guide the Grand Lodge of England, it is clear that they virtually deny the right of this Grand Lodge to exercise exclusive Masonic jurisdiction, within and over our own territory. The three English lodges in Montreal are not now within our jurisdiction, and whatever privileges they possessed under the terms of recognition accepted by the Grand Lodge from the Grand Lodge of England, these privileges ceased the moment the Grand Lodge of Quebec was formed, and there is now no justification for this unwarranted violation of our territory. The Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of England, in his official communication says, "that it is not easy to understand how the

expression '*Invasion of territory*' can be applied to a case where a person leaves the jurisdiction of the protesting Grand Lodge and entering that of another is initiated therein." I cannot see any difficulty in understanding that the term "Invasion of territory" is correctly applied to a case where members of a lodge subordinate to the Grand Lodge of England, make an attack on the rights of another Grand Lodge by entering its territory and securing the rejected material of one of its lodges, take the person thus willingly captured within the territory of another Grand Lodge and there make him a Mason. Not only is this an invasion of the territory of Grand Lodge, but it is also an injustice to the Grand Lodge of Quebec, in making use of its territory to inflict an injury upon a Grand Lodge with which it is on terms of peace and harmony. If this Grand Lodge and the Grand Lodges of British America and the United States, allow the doctrine as laid down by the Grand Secretary of England to pass unchallenged, then it may be questioned whether the Masonic Grand Lodges on this continent do possess the powers, rights and prerogatives which heretofore they supposed they enjoyed. Brethren of Grand Lodge, are you prepared to allow residents of this Province to be made Masons outside of your jurisdiction without your consent? I trust not. When this matter was brought under my notice I proposed dealing with it at once, but after further consideration decided to leave to the Grand Lodge the settlement of so important a subject. I may say, however, that I am of opinion that there will be no permanent peace or harmony in Masonry in Canada until all lodges now holding Warrants from the Grand Lodges of Great Britain have given their allegiance to the Grand Lodges of that part of the Dominion in which they are situate.

BY-LAWS.

I have had the by-laws of many lodges submitted during the year for examination and approval. With but one or

two exceptions, these by-laws contained clauses which were not in accord with the Constitution. The by-laws of one lodge had a clause which declared that upon a brother being elected a Master he became an honorary member without further action of the lodge. These errors are due to a great extent to the desire of some brethren to become law makers, and so soon as they attain to position in a lodge they endeavor to overturn the established order of things and have their peculiar ideas carried into effect. We have entirely too much law making and too many changes in the by-laws of lodges, and it would be much better for the Craft generally if lodges would not permit these "uneasy" brethren to tinker the by-laws now in force, many of which are far superior to the amendments made to them.

LIFE MEMBERSHIP.

Many lodges have adopted by-laws enabling brethren, on the payment of a certain sum, to become life members. This is an excellent provision, and if generally adopted, would have a tendency to prevent so many members becoming non-affiliated Masons.

A GENEROUS GIFT.

The Secretary of the Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, has notified me that R. W. Bro. J. Ross Robertson, Grand Senior Warden, has erected a building on the Island, opposite that city, at a cost of \$2,000, as a convalescent home for sick children, to be called the "Lakeside Home for Little Children." The condition upon which the grant has been made is that children of members of the Masonic Fraternity shall be admitted to the Hospital for Sick Children and the "Lakeside Home" on the recommendation of any of the following members of the Craft, viz.: M. W. Bro. J. A. Henderson, Kingston; M. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, Barrie; R. W. Bros. John J. Mason and David McLellan, Hamilton; R. W. Bro. George S. Birrell, London; R. W. Bro. Joshua G.

Burns, and V. W. Bro. Wm. J. Hambly, Toronto. The liberality of our brother is worthy of the highest commendation, and shows how thoroughly he understands the principles of Freemasonry in his endeavors to soothe the affliction and relieve the necessities of those needing assistance.

GRAND OFFICERS.

I desire to thank the officers and brethren generally for their generous support and uniform kindness. To the Deputy Grand Master, R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray, I am indebted for valuable aid in the discharge of the duties pertaining to my position. To the Grand Secretary, R. W. Bro. J. J. Mason, I am under many and special obligations for the prompt and efficient performance of the duties of his office, and for his constant exertions to lighten the many difficulties of my position.

Brethren of Grand Lodge.—The Masonic year which we are about entering will bring with it its duties and responsibilities, and I feel assured that whoever may be chosen for the various positions in the gift of the Grand Lodge, they will conscientiously endeavor to discharge them in such a way as will best promote the interests of the Craft. I have endeavored to do my duty faithfully and impartially, and in such a way as to merit your approval, and hope I have been to some extent successful. In conclusion, we may congratulate ourselves that the principles of Masonry, which animate and inspire us to noble efforts as citizens of the Commonwealth and members of the Fraternity, are taking deep root in the minds and hearts of the people of our happy land, for wherever Christianity and civilization go hand in hand, there will be found the germs of Masonic fellowship, which in their own good time will bring forth abundant fruit.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray, seconded by R. W. Bro. Henry Robertson, and

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MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR,

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Newell, of Wyoming; W. Bro. S. Howden, of Watford; W. Bro. McIntyre, of Camlachie, and V. W. Bro. A. Jamieson, of Watford, rendering able assistance, the latter receiving many complimentary remarks for his efficiency in conferring the Third Degree.

At Thedford, on October 23rd, A. L. 5882, R. W. Bro. Holwell, P. D. D. G. M. of St. Clair District; W. Bro. A. F. Phillips, of St. Marys; W. Bro. Stephen Connell, of Arkona; W. Bro. Thos. Jones, of Forest; W. Bro. Geo. Watts, of Thedford, assisting, the latter conferring the First Degree very correctly.

At Petrolia, on Nov. 8th, A. L. 5882, representatives being present from Oil Springs, Arkona, Brigden, Watford, and London District, when W. Bro. R. Jackson, P. M. Petrolia Lodge, No. 194, exemplified the work in the First Degree, to the satisfaction of all present, and W. Bro. Jas. McLurg, the present Master of Petrolia Lodge, exemplified the work in the Third Degree very correctly.

At Sarnia, on Nov. 21st, A. L. 5882, visiting brethren being in attendance from Wyoming, Moore, Camlachie, Hamilton, Port Huron, and Strathroy, when V. W. Bro. Dr. Jas. Newell, of Burns Lodge, No. 158, Wyoming, conferred the First Degree, and W. Bro. Woods, W. M. of Victoria Lodge, No. 56, the Second and Third Degrees; in both instances the work being remarkably well performed.

At Chatham, on June 14th, A. L. 5883, when the work in the three Degrees was very creditably exemplified by W. Bro. Bates, P. M. of Parthenon Lodge, No. 267; W. Bro. J. Peers, of Wellington Lodge, No. 46, Chatham, and W. Bro. Grant, P. M. of Beaver Lodge, No. 88, Strathroy, assisted by R. W. Bro. T. C. Macnabb, R. W. Bro. Wm. Milner, V. W. Bro. C. H. Sparling, V. W. Bro. Younge, and others; W. Bro. Bates taking the First, W. Bro. Peers the Second, and W. Bro. Grant the Third Degree.

At the request of the Most Worshipful the Grand Master. I had the honor of performing in his name the ceremonies of dedicating, consecrating, and constituting Leopold Lodge, No. 897, Brigden; and with the assistance of R. W. Bro. T. C. Macnabb, P. D. D. G. M. of this District, dedicated and consecrated the new lodge room of Havelock Lodge, No. 288, Watford.

It is gratifying to be able to state that but few brethren have died within the District during the past year. Those reported to me were interred with the customary Masonic honors.

I am pleased to be able to say that no complaints have been made to me during my term of office.

The usual dispensations for the brethren to appear in public clothed as Masons have been granted upon proper occasions.

The brethren of Essex Centre petitioned for a dispensation to open a new lodge in that place, to be called "Central Lodge." The dispensation has been granted by the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, and forwarded to the brethren.

An application was also received from Windsor, to open another lodge in that place, but the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, believing the method of consolidating lodges to be the best, did not grant said dispensation.

In closing my report, I beg leave to return my sincere thanks to the brethren throughout the District for their many acts of kindness towards me while engaged in my official visits. I will not be in a position to accept the office of District Deputy Grand Master of the St. Clair District for another term, on account of being about to remove to the North-West, but I hope my successor, whoever he may be, will experience as little difficulty in managing the affairs of

the District, during the ensuing Masonic year, as I have done during the past, and that peace and harmony may evermore prevail amongst the brethren of this District.

All of which is most respectfully and fraternally submitted.

N. J. LINDSAY,
D. D. G. M. St. Clair District.

Watford, June 28rd, 1888.

LONDON DISTRICT.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers, and Members of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of Canada.

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR AND BRETHREN,—

I have the honor, in accordance with constitutional requirements, to present Grand Lodge with a brief report of the condition of Freemasonry in the London District.

LODGES.

There are forty lodges in this District; most of them I have visited, having made thirty-six official visits, and it affords me great pleasure to be able to say that, with one or two exceptions, I found them all in a very satisfactory condition. The officers are, for the most part, zealous and efficient in the discharge of their duties; the members, generally, are regular in their attendance, and take a deep interest in the welfare of the Institution.

In most of the lodges the additions to the membership have been greater than the average of previous years, particular attention, I am given to understand, having been paid to the character and fitness of candidates for initiation.

The first duty devolving upon me to perform was the constitution, dedication, and consecration of Moffat Lodge, Harrietsville. I am pleased to state this lodge is in a healthy condition.

INSTALLATIONS.

In the afternoon and evening of the 27th December I in-

At the last meeting of Gran Merrill Lodge, No. 344, against was referred to me. I am pleased has been amicably settled.

During the past year several knowledge; most of them have been were matters of jurisdiction between

I received a complaint from B and certain members of St. John this case I found the complaint constitution violated, and it was a reprimand the W. M. and other M. W. the Grand Master having case, suspended the W. M. for a he has since been restored to all that peace and harmony prevail

The next and last complaint make mention of was one made against what he conceived to be as the W. M. of the C. C.

not deem it necessary. All complaints that have been referred to me have had my careful attention.

DISPENSATIONS.

Dispensations have been issued to permit the brethren of several of the lodges to appear in Masonic clothing at divine service, and at several gatherings. In each case the proceedings, I have been assured, were attended with pleasure and profit.

I held a Lodge of Instruction in the Town of Strathroy on the 5th of April. There was a large attendance, a great many of the lodges in the District being represented. It was also honored with the presence of the W. M. the Grand Master, the M. W. the P. G. M., R. W. Bro. Mason, G. S., and several P. D. D. G. M.'s. The work was most ably exemplified by W. Bros. T. H. Branton, W. M. St. George's, No. 42, London; W. Bro. M. J. Glass, P. M. King Solomon Lodge, Petersville; V. W. Bro. H. Lindsay, P. M. of St. John's Lodge, Mt. Brydges; W. Bro. John Paine, and W. Bro. Robb, P. Masters of Euclid Lodge, Strathroy. Several important questions, in reference to the proper mode of working, were brought before the notice of the Grand Master, and satisfactory rulings given thereon. Subsequently the Grand Master, Grand Lodge Officers, and visiting brethren, were entertained by the Strathroy brethren, for which they have my hearty thanks, as well as for the use of their fine lodge room. The Grand Master, and other Grand Lodge Officers present, spoke in pleasing terms of the manner the work had been exemplified, and were also well pleased with the reception given them by the brethren in Strathroy.

DEATHS.

In obedience to the high commands of the Great Architect of the Universe, many of our esteemed brethren have passed from labor to rest. Among the number that I have been

officially notified of are the following, namely: W. Bro. B. Hamilton, P. M. of Corinthian Lodge, No. 830, London East; W. Bro. Wm. Beattie, P. M. of Albion Lodge, Newbury; W. Bro. W. H. Rooks, P. M. of St. John's Lodge, No. 209a, London; Bro. Dr. Morden, Lucan Lodge, London; Bro. J. O'Brien, St. John's Lodge, London; Bro. J. T. Sainsbury, Union Lodge, London. These six have been duly reported to me.

Let us hope, then, our departed brethren have attained the summit of human aspiration,—a seat in the Grand Lodge above, where the Supreme Architect of the Universe lives and rules forever.

CONCLUSION.

I cannot close my report without acknowledging the uniform courtesy shown me throughout the District whenever I have met the lodges, or individual brethren, officially and otherwise; and though the duties have been onerous, this consideration has materially relieved them, and made a pleasure of what would otherwise have proved an irksome task. I must also state that in several instances the lodges seemed to realize the fact that travelling costs, not only time but money, and they provided accordingly to cover actual expenses incurred for their benefit.

While thanking the brethren for the mark of confidence which the position of D. D. G. Master of this important District conveys, I sincerely trust that the honor will this year fall to the lot of one whose wealth and means will enable him to attend to the duties without personal sacrifice, and with more advantage to the best interests of the Order than I have been able to impart.

All of which, is respectfully submitted.

L. G. JARVIS,
D. D. G. M. London District.

London, July 4th, 1888.

WILSON DISTRICT.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of Canada.

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR AND BRETHREN,—

In compliance with the requirements of the Constitution, I have the honor to submit my official report on the condition of Masonry in the Wilson District, for the Masonic year just ended.

On assuming the duties of office, I found the District had no regalia for the D. D. G. M., and I found moreover, that many attempts had been made in the past to secure one, but without success. I therefore decided to appeal to each lodge in the District for assistance, and I have now much pleasure in reporting to Grand Lodge that a suitable regalia has been purchased and paid for, and I take this opportunity of thanking those lodges in the District that have contributed so liberally towards the same.

I regret, however, that it took six months of my official year to procure the regalia—(my first visit was made to Plattsville Lodge, December 22, 1882)—hence I have not been able to visit all the lodges as I would have wished. I am glad to find through notices sent me, that Masonry is progressing and increasing in numbers in Wilson District, and in those lodges I have visited, I found the work fairly well done, and according to ancient usage.

I am pleased to report that no complaints of a serious nature have been brought before me, and that peace and harmony prevail in Wilson District. Long may it continue to be so.

I have installed the officers of several lodges during my term of office, and I am satisfied in each case the officers have been well selected.

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To the Most Worshipful the
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MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR,

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With very few exceptions the lodges have complied with the Constitution in forwarding me copies of notice of all meetings, and by this means I have been enabled to keep myself informed as to the amount of work done by them, and while all have done a fair amount, many have done a very large, and it is still more gratifying to know that the material brought in has been of the very best quality.

At the request of the M. W. the Grand Master, I had the honor and pleasure of Constituting, Dedicating, Consecrating and Installing, the officers of Cedar Lodge, No. 896, working at Wiarton, in the County of Bruce, and I have to thank W. Bros. Hicks and Bruce, of Maple Leaf Lodge, Tara, for their very efficient services on that occasion.

I am pleased to inform you that the two lodges working at St. Marys, in the County of Perth, viz.: St. James', No. 78, and St. Marys, No. 851, have been amalgamated, and are now working harmoniously under the Warrant of the former. Under this head I may mention that Goderich Lodge, No. 38, and Maitland Lodge, No. 112, working in Goderich, have petitioned Grand Lodge for permission to amalgamate under special circumstances, and I trust that the Committee on Warrants may be able to see their way clear to recommend to Grand Lodge that their petition be granted.

I have granted several Dispensations to the lodges in the District to appear in Masonic clothing to attend Divine Worship, and I am pleased to notice that this manner of celebrating the various Masonic Festivals is becoming quite popular with a large number of the Craft, and I sincerely trust that it may be conducive to their good in particular, and the Craft in general.

In conclusion, I may say that I have met with the greatest amount of courtesy, respect and kindness from every member in the District, with whom I have been brought in

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WELLINGTON

To the Most Worshipful the
& A. M. of Canada.

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR

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case of Masonic difficulty has been submitted to me, which I am sure speaks well for the harmony which prevails throughout the District.

I have had the pleasure of installing the W. M. and officers of the following lodges during the past year, viz.:—Speed, No. 180; Guelph, No. 258; Waverley, No. 361. Also assisted W. Bro. A. B. Jardine, New Hope, No. 279, and from personal observation I have found them well qualified for their various duties.

I issued a Dispensation to Harriston Lodge, No. 262, for the purpose of attending Divine Service, which I believe was well attended and everything done in order.

I have also much pleasure in stating that on the eleventh January, the Masonic ball held in the city of Guelph, under the patronage of the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, and Grand Officers, was a decided success. Grand Lodge Officers present:—R. W. Bro. H. Murray, D. G. Master, representing the Most Worshipful, who was, I regret, unavoidably absent; together with R. W. Bros. Thomas Clark, D. D. G. M. Hamilton District; R. W. Bro. E. Mitchell, Grand Treasurer; R. W. Bro. J. J. Mason, Grand Secretary, and others in the city. A very pleasant evening was spent, and the visiting brethren expressed their entire satisfaction with the entertainment. I therefore, on behalf of the brethren of Guelph, tender my sincere thanks to the visiting brethren for their presence on that occasion.

There have been five deaths reported to me during the year, four of whom were interred with the appropriate Ceremonies of the Order. The names of deceased are:—Bro. Hiram Anderson, Grand River, No. 151; Bro. Andrew Gordon, Irvine, No. 208; Bro. John Brogan, Ayr, No. 172; Bro. S. R. Lenox, Harriston, No. 262, and Bro. David Smith, Clifford, No. 315.

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HAMILTON DISTRICT.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge, A. F. & A. M. of Canada.

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR AND BRETHREN,—

I have the honor of presenting herewith my report on the condition of Masonry in the Hamilton District, during the year just closing.

It has been my pleasure to visit officially every lodge in the District, in addition to which, I have been a pretty regular visitor at all the lodges in Hamilton and Dundas. The condition of the Craft throughout the District is most gratifying, and gives certain promise of a future befitting the sublime principles of our noble Order. The year has been a very happy and prosperous one. The only ripple of discord which has occurred, was just sufficient to bring out in bolder relief the love and harmony which have universally prevailed.

The lodges throughout the District are in a sound financial condition, many of them having funds invested, and ample revenue from regular dues to meet current expenses, thus removing all temptation to accept inferior material. Oakville Lodge, U. D., which has been organized during the current year under most encouraging auspices, has had the misfortune to lose its furniture and effects by fire. Fortunately a respectable insurance policy served to mitigate the severity of the calamity, and from the character of the brethren composing that young lodge, it will, in spite of this untoward occurrence, soon take a front rank amongst the lodges in this District.

In all the lodges our beautiful Ritual is exemplified in a manner at once creditable to the officers, and beneficial to the Craft.

In the matter of prompt payment of dues, I must give

the palm to Waterdown Lodge, there being, at the time of my official visit, only \$20 outstanding, *and all good*. It is doubtful if this record can be excelled by any lodge in this jurisdiction, and I commend this matter to the careful consideration of all sister lodges, since there can be no doubt that laxity in this particular, is one of the most fruitful sources of "suspensions."

To my predecessors in office, I extend my warmest thanks for counsel cheerfully given, whenever sought; and without being invidious, I would make special mention of R. W. Bro. J. J. Mason, Grand Secretary, and R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray, Deputy Grand Master, whose large and varied experience and comprehensive knowledge, have always been at my disposal. And I may state further, that if I have succeeded in discharging the duties of my office with acceptance to the brethren in the District, my success has been largely due to the able and zealous co-operation of V. W. Bro. Bickford, Assistant Grand Secretary, whom it has been my good fortune to have associated with me as District Secretary, and I sincerely hope that when he is called to fill the office, he may have the same good fortune in his choice of coadjutor.

Before closing this report, I tender to all the brethren in this District my most heartfelt thanks for the more than kind manner in which they have treated me at all times, but more especially on the occasion of my removal to Winnipeg a few weeks ago, when they presented Mrs. Clark and myself with a series of testimonials utterly beyond what I could have anticipated, had I been P. G. M. of the Grand Lodge, N. G. Z. of the Grand Chapter, and Past Sovereign Grand Commander of the Supreme Council. Brethren, if *sincere gratitude* is any compensation to you for your exceeding kindness, you are re-paid, and in resigning my trust, I pray the G. A. O. T. U. that though our meetings

here are for the present interfered with, we may at last meet in the Grand Lodge above.

All of which is respectfully and fraternally submitted.

THOMAS CLARK,
D. D. G. M. Hamilton District.

Winnipeg, June 7th, 1888.

TORONTO DISTRICT.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers, and Members of the Grand Lodge A. F. & A. M. of Canada.

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR AND BRETHREN,—

In accordance with my duty, I beg to lay before you my report on the condition of Masonry in the Toronto District.

In doing so, I must express my pleasure that I have been enabled to visit all the lodges in my District, and that I have found harmony and good feeling prevail; the lodges generally, prosperous, and the work prescribed by Grand Lodge in most cases faithfully performed.

I have had very few appeals or complaints referred to me, and I am pleased to say they have been amicably settled, and that I leave no difficulty in the way of my successor in office.

It also becomes my pleasing duty to mention in this report the generosity displayed by a member of the Craft in this District, I refer to R. W. Bro. J. Ross Robertson, G. S. W., who, during the year has presented to the Central Board of Benevolence, of Toronto, a burial plot in Mount Pleasant cemetery, for the interment of those who are called away destitute of means, or for brethren who are strangers and have made no provision for this purpose. It is one of the largest plots in this beautiful cemetery, and supplies a want long felt by the Craft.

At the request of the Most Worshipful the Grand Master,

I had the honor of dedicating and consecrating the new hall of York Lodge, No. 156, Eglington.

During the year I have granted dispensations to the following lodges, viz.:—Alpha Lodge, Parkdale; River Park Lodge, Streetsville; St. Andrew's, Doric, St. George's, and Zetland Lodges, Toronto; Tuscan Lodge, Newmarket, on two occasions, and Rising Sun Lodge, Aurora, and have made due return of the same.

In conclusion, I would take this opportunity of thanking the brethren of this District for the kind, courteous and fraternal manner in which I was received on my official visits, and which will not soon be forgotten by me.

All of which is fraternally submitted.

JOHN FISHER,

D. D. G. M. Toronto District.

Eglington, July 5th, 1888.

GEORGIAN DISTRICT.

To the M. W. the Grand Master, Officers, and Members of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of Canada.

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR AND BRETHREN,—

I have the honor to report that during the year I succeeded in reviving Caledonian Lodge, No. 249, Angus, which had for some time been in a dormant condition, by having it transferred to the thriving Village of Midland, where I have every reason to believe its future stability is assured.

I am happy to say that during the year I have had no complaints of any kind brought to my notice, except one which was referred to me to report on by the M. W. the Grand Master, which was a complaint preferred by Spry Lodge, No. 885, Beeton, against Union Lodge, No. 118, Schomberg, for having accepted and initiated an applicant alleged to be resident within the jurisdiction of Spry Lodge, without a dispensation. I investigated the facts in this

case, and reported my finding to the Grand Secretary, for the information of the Grand Master.

I have during the year visited some of the lodges, but regret that I was unable to visit all which I had not visited during the first year of my term of office. The following is a list of the lodges which I have not visited, and trust that my successor will, as far as convenient, visit them first, namely:—Muskoka, No. 860, Bracebridge; Unity, No. 876, Huntsville; Granite, No. 852, Parry Sound; Orillia, No. 192, Orillia; Shuniah, No. 287, Prince Arthur; Minerva, No. 804, Craigvale; True Blue, No. 98, Albion.

All of which is fraternally submitted.

JOHN CREASOR,

D. D. G. M. Georgian District.

Owen Sound, 4th July, 1883.

ONTARIO DISTRICT.

To the M. W. the Grand Master, and the Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of Canada.

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR AND BRETHREN,—

In accordance with the requirements of the Constitution, I beg to submit my report as to the condition of Masonry in Ontario District during the past year.

From the large number of lodges in the District, together with the great extent of country comprised in it, extending from Brighton at the east, to Whitby at the west, and Cannington, Victoria Road, and Bobcaygeon on the north, I found it would be impossible to visit all the lodges in it in one year, so I endeavored to visit those lodges in my own neighborhood which had not had the advantage of the presence of my immediate predecessors at any of their meetings. These I found, in every instance, prosperous and working well, and I am satisfied from information received from well informed brethren, that the other lodges in the District, with the exception of two, are also in a healthy condition and

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spect in which he was held by the Craft and the public in general was evinced by the very large attendance of both at his funeral. More than one hundred brethren took part in the proceedings. The impressive funeral service of the Order was read by W. Bro. R. S. Davidson, the W. M. of V. W. Bro. White's lodge, assisted by R. W. Bro. C. D. Macdonnell and myself.

My official acts during the year were confined to granting a dispensation to J. B. Hall Lodge, No. 145, Millbrook, after due enquiry, to make a Serving Brother; revising the By-laws of several lodges, and recommending them for the approval of the Grand Master; and giving the usual number of rulings on the various points arising among the lodges during the year.

The recommendation of Grand Lodge,—that each lodge in the District visited by the D. D. G. M. should pay his expenses of the visit,—is not acted on in Ontario District, and none of the lodges visited by me, with one exception, even offered to reimburse me my traveling expenses or pay my hotel bill; the exception was Verulam Lodge, No. 268, Bobcaygeon, which paid both. This neglect is a very serious matter for the occupant of the office of D. D. G. M., for had I been able to have visited all the lodges in my District, my disbursements for traveling expenses alone would have amounted to at least \$300, and the cost of stationery and postage would then be unprovided for. I would, therefore, beg to recommend that Grand Lodge should take some more effective mode of having the actual expenses of the D. D. G. M., while on official visits, re-paid him. This would to some extent, no doubt, remedy the complaint that some lodges remain unvisited by successive D. D. G. M.'s for years.

I might also suggest to the W. M.'s of lodges visited by the D. D. G. M. that more courtesy might, in some instances, be shown to him. Although, as a general rule, I have re-

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Moosejaw, N. W. T.,

PRINCE

To the Most Worshipful

I visited as many of the lodges as possible during my term of office, and found them working harmoniously.

I have received very few complaints, and have succeeded in amicably adjusting them all, with the exception of one which I have not been able to fully investigate. I will hand the papers in connection therewith to my successor in office.

I visited Bath on St. John's Day, December 27th, 1882, and installed the officers of several lodges present.

On June 25th, 1883, I visited Tamworth, and installed the officers of Victoria Lodge, No. 299, and was present at the first meeting of Lorne Lodge, U. D.

I received, approved, and forwarded on the 10th October, 1882, application for Dispensation for a new lodge, "Eastern Star," at Colebrook. Dispensation not granted. On the 26th February, 1883, I received, approved, and forwarded two applications for Dispensations for new lodges, viz.: "Craig" Lodge, Deseronto, and "Lorne" Lodge, Tamworth. Dispensation granted in both cases.

I recommend that a Warrant be issued to Craig Lodge, and that the Dispensation to Lorne Lodge be continued another year, and that Victoria Lodge, Centreville, be removed to Colebrook or Yarker.

In closing my official connection with the Prince Edward District, I desire to express my thanks to the officers and members of the several Lodges in the District for kindness shown to me while in the discharge of my duties. I am under especial obligations to W. Bro. A. McGinnis, for ably performing the duties of District Secretary.

All of which is fraternally submitted.

W. L. HAMILTON,
D. D. G. M. Prince Edward District.
Belleville, July 7th, 1883.

ST. LAWRENCE DISTRICT.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of Canada.

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR AND BRETHREN,—

The duty of presiding over St. Lawrence District was delegated to me in consequence of the removal of R. W. Bro. Kenning from the jurisdiction. I was accepted subject to my statement that it would be impossible for me fully to perform the duties of the office.

During the time that I have been acting I have visited as many of the Lodges as I conveniently could, but the very large extent of St. Lawrence District, and my other engagements, made it impossible for me to visit as many as I could wish.

I have much pleasure in reporting that a healthy and enthusiastic spirit prevails throughout the District, and that the condition of Masonry is exceedingly prosperous.

I have had many applications made to me for means of instruction in the lodge ritual and practice, which I regret that I am unable to satisfy. This subject is one of great importance, and demands the earnest consideration of Grand Lodge.

It is impossible for the D. D. G. M., in the limited time at his disposal, to do more than inspect the Lodges, settle such matters as may be referred to him, and give occasional instruction to any Lodge he may visit. This occasional instruction appears to me, from the experience I have had, to be insufficient to meet the requirements of the Lodges in the more remote districts, where officers, in many cases, are placed at a very unfair disadvantage for want of proper instruction. I would strongly recommend the appointment by Grand Lodge of permanent instructors in the several districts, whose duty it should be to give instruction in ritual and work, subject to the direction of the D. D. G. M.

I am happy to say that the utmost harmony prevails in my District, and that not a single complaint has been submitted to me or forwarded to the Grand Secretary during my term of office.

I received, some months ago, a petition from a number of military brethren, for the formation of a military lodge in the city of Kingston. The application and correspondence on the subject will, I understand, be laid before the Board.

I would earnestly recommend the division of St. Lawrence District. It is too large to be honestly and faithfully looked after by one D. D. G. M., and the distances to be travelled are so great that more time is required for a proper visitation than can reasonably be required from one officer.

In the Lodges which I have visited I have been warmly and loyally received, and I hereby return my thanks to my brethren for their uniform kindness to me during my term of office.

I regret sincerely to have to record the death of M. W. Bro. Simpson, P. G. M., during the past year. He died within the Province of Quebec, but many of our brethren attended his funeral.

All of which is respectfully and fraternally submitted.

RICHARD T. WALKER,

Acting D. D. G. M. St. Lawrence District.

Kingston, 4th July, 1883.

OTTAWA DISTRICT.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of Canada.

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR AND BRETHREN,—

In accordance with the constitutional rule of Grand Lodge, I beg leave most respectfully herewith to forward to you for

the information of Grand Lodge, a brief account of my official proceedings and of the state of Masonry within the limits of my District.

I have this year visited nearly all the Lodges in the District. In most of the Lodges that I visited I found the work as approved of by the Grand Lodge strictly adhered to, and the brethren desirous and anxious to observe the Ancient Landmarks of the Order. In the city of Ottawa we have altogether too many Lodges; we have seven, where three would be ample.

I have granted several Dispensations to wear regalia at divine worship, which, I believe, is of great interest to the Craft, as well as to each individual member of the Order.

There have been during the past year, I am pleased to say, but few brethren called from their Lodge on earth to the Grand Lodge above. In each case they were interred with the usual Masonic ceremonies.

I would recommend all Lodges in the District to at once get the work on rulings published by the Grand Lodge, also R. W. Bro. Henry Robertson's book on Masonic Jurisprudence.

My warmest thanks are due to W. Bro. E. Daubney, W. M. of The Builders' Lodge, No. 177, for the efficient and prompt manner in which he discharged the various duties assigned to him as District Secretary, thereby very materially assisting me in attending to the interests of the brethren of the District.

In closing my report, I must again express my gratitude and sincerest thanks to the officers and brethren of the District, for the universal kindness and fraternal welcome with which I was received when paying my official visits, and as I will not be in a position to accept the office again, I trust

the same courtesy will be extended to my successor as has been to myself during my year as District Deputy Grand Master. And may the G. A. O. T. U. long continue the peace and harmony that prevails amongst the brethren of the Ottawa District.

All of which is fraternally submitted.

E. B. BUTTERWORTH.

D. D. G. M. Ottawa District.

Ottawa, July 7th, 1888.

WELLAND DISTRICT.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers, and Members of the Grand Lodge A. F. & A. M. of Canada.

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR AND BRETHREN,—

It again becomes my duty to submit my annual report upon the condition and prospects of Masonry in the old Niagara District—a district no less rich in Masonic than other historic associations of the past.

During the year just drawn to a close I have visited most of the Lodges within my jurisdiction. At each of my visits I delivered a short lecture upon the principles and aims of the Order, and endeavored, as far as in my power lay, to impress upon the brethren present the binding duties which the obligations voluntarily assumed by them had devolved upon them, and that the discharge of these duties was of infinitely more importance than a knowledge of the mere routine of the different degrees. My remarks upon each occasion met with the approval of the brethren, who were kind enough to endorse them by resolution.

During the year I granted six Dispensations, viz.:—To Niagara Lodge, for a literary festival, at which I presided, and which proved remarkably successful both in a financial and social point of view; and to Amity Lodge, Dunnville;

King Solomon's Lodge, Jarvis; Merritt Lodge, Welland; Mountain Lodge, Thorold; and Clifton Lodge, Clifton, to appear in public clothed as Masons, for the purpose of commemorating the Festival of St. John the Baptist by attending divine worship.

I am sorry that I must again dissent from the glowing accounts given by many of the prosperity of the Order. It seems to me that the Institution is not in as satisfactory a condition as it ought to be. To the outside world it may appear strong and vigorous; but there is evidently wanting that interest upon the part of many of those who profess to be Masons that ought to exist, and without which but a very poor practical exemplification of what are the vital principles of Masonry can be expected. The attendance of members is not good; indeed, in many cases, it would seem to be confined to those that have been recently initiated. Members of longer standing—for reasons easily accounted for—rarely make their appearance, except upon special occasions. The consequence is that the direction of affairs is often thrown into the hands of the inexperienced, and unqualified. Indeed, now the main qualification for the Master's chair would appear to be the ability to run parrot-like through the "work." The result is that while the "spirit" of the "work" is lost sight of, the "letter" of the "work" is bungled by mispronunciation and other solecisms. In my opinion something should be done to remedy this state of affairs by subjecting the W. M. elect to such an examination as will be a guarantee of his ability to "instruct" in the laws and aims of the Order, as well as to discharge the mere routine duties of his office. It may be laid down as a safe principle,—as the Master is, so is the Lodge; there are, I am happy to say, exceptions to this state of affairs; but the exceptions only prove the rule.

It seems to me, too, that Masons have not that thorough appreciation of their obligations that the profane unquestion-

ably have a right to look for. Where practice and profession do not coincide, very little influence for good can be anticipated. This is just what is the case. If Masons only lived up to their obligations as they ought, or if they did not, were made to do so, we would not see so many unaffiliated Masons throughout the land; and we would see the Order not only more successful in the promotion of its own special objects grand and wide as these are,—but also more potential for good generally. I can only reiterate the opinion that I expressed in my report of last year, that it is time that Grand Lodge should take steps to enforce upon the part of members a stricter adherence to the letter and spirit of their obligations, and make them understand if they are Masons in *name* they must be Masons in *reality*. The vitality and vigor of an Order, no more than of an Empire, can be gauged by the numbers and extent of country over which it professes to hold sway.

During the two years that I have been D. D. G. M., I can conscientiously say that I have endeavored faithfully and impartially to discharge the duties of the office; and though I may not have succeeded in pleasing all, yet I have the satisfaction to know that my efforts have not been unappreciated or in vain.

In conclusion, I would again take this opportunity of expressing my profound appreciation of the much kindness and many acts of courtesy received from the brethren on my official visits through the District.

All of which is fraternally submitted.

J. MURISON DUNN,
D. D. G. M., Niagara District.

Welland, July 1st, 1888.

REPORT OF THE BOARD ON WARRANTS.

B. W. Bro. Hugh Murray, President of the Board of General Purposes, presented and read the following

REPORT:

The Board beg leave to report that they have examined the books of the following Lodges, at present working under Dispensation, and having made due enquiry into the circumstances stated in their applications, have much pleasure in recommending that Warrants be granted to them, viz:—

Oakville Lodge.....	Oakville.
Craig Lodge.....	Deseronto.
Central Lodge.....	Essex Centre.

And that the Dispensation granted to the following Lodge, viz:—

Lorne Lodge.....	Tamworth,
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be continued for another year.

That the application of Windsor Lodge, Windsor, be referred back to the Grand Master for further consideration.

The Board heartily endorse the action of the Grand Master in not granting Dispensations to

Eastern Star Lodge.....	Colebrooke.
Rodney Lodge.....	Rodney.
Garrison Lodge.....	Kingston.

The Board heartily approve of the amalgamation of St. James' Lodge, No. 78, and St. Mary's Lodge, No. 851, and hope to see many other Lodges doing likewise, and also recommend the return of the Warrant of St. Mary's Lodge, No. 851, after being cancelled, to be held as a memento, as requested.

The Board recommend that a Duplicate Warrant be issued to Mystic Lodge, No. 278, as requested, in lieu of the original Warrant stolen.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray, seconded by R. W. Bro. Donald Ross, and

RESOLVED,—That the Report of the Board on Warrants be received and adopted.

REPORT OF THE BOARD ON AUDIT AND FINANCE.

R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray, President of the Board of General Purposes, presented and read the following

REPORT:

The Board, through the Committee on Finance, have audited the books of the Grand Treasurer and Grand Secretary, and certify to their correctness. All moneys received by the Grand Secretary have been paid over to the Grand Treasurer, and the receipt acknowledged by that officer. Vouchers have been produced for all payments made by the Grand Treasurer, as authorized by Grand Lodge.

The Receipts and Expenditure for the year, from the 1st June, 1882, to the 31st May, 1883, have been as follows:—

RECEIPTS.

Certificates.....	\$2,888 00
Dues.....	9,248 00
Fees.....	1,807 00
Dispensations.....	189 00
Warrants.....	40 00
Constitutions.....	481 75
Past Masters' Certificates.....	14 00
Interest on General Fund.....	8,075 65
Interest on Asylum Fund.....	895 00

GENERAL EXPENSES

Grand Sec'y's salary
Assistant "

Rent of G. Sec'y

Fuel and Light...

Office cleaning....

Insurance on Reg

Express and Cust

Travelling Expens

Postages.....

Stationery and Boc

Trunk for Benevol

Papers.....

Telegrams.....

Sundries.....

Less amount due Gr

Grand Secretary, ba

dentials to 81st

Allowance to G

Engrossing Warrants.....	12 75
“ Address to the Queen.	25 00
“ “ M. W. Bro.	
Moffat.....	21 00
Expenses Board of Gen'l Purposes	619 50
“ Meeting of Grand Lodge	42 70
Presentation to M. W. Bro. Moffat,	258 50

BENEVOLENCE—

Orders on Benevolent Fund.....	\$9,264 88
Mrs. Wilson's allowance, 1 year...	800 00
Miss Wilson's “ “ “ ...	800 00
Mrs. Harris' “ “ “ ...	225 00
	<hr/> \$10,089 88
Cash in Bank, 31st May, 1888	12,819 65
	<hr/> \$27,844 17

The Funds of Grand Lodge on the 31st May, 1888, were invested as follows:—

Special Deposit in Canadian Bank of Commerce, at 4½ per cent., credited monthly.	\$55,400 00
Cash in Canadian Bank of Commerce, current account.....	12,819 65
	<hr/> \$67,719 65

Which represents the balances at the credit of the following accounts:—

General Fund.....	\$25,715 94
Asylum Fund Balance, 31st May, 1882	\$9,480 75
Add Interest collected.....	895 00
	<hr/> 9,875 75
Benevolent Fund Investment acct.	28,790 26

Benevolent Fund Current account.	\$3,887 70
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	\$67,719 65

From the above statement it will be observed that the funds of Grand Lodge have increased since 31st May, 1882, \$2,520.38.

The Board have examined the following accounts, and, finding them correct, recommend them for payment:—

Copp, Clark & Co., certificates.....	\$591 71
Ennis & Stirton, sundry printing.....	107 40
Buntin, Gillies & Co., stationery.....	87 76
J. B. Trayes, printing Constitutions, etc.....	182 77
<i>Times</i> Printing Co., printing resolutions and rulings.....	220 00
Chairman Benevolent Committee, postages, three years.....	40 00
Grand Secretary, balance of incidentals to 31st May, 1888.....	175 95
Grand Secretary, advance for incidentals.....	300 00

The Board have had under consideration a communication from W. Bro. G. Smith, P. M. of St. Clair Lodge, No. 135, Milton, in reference to the commutation of Grand Lodge dues by private Lodges; and whilst they believe that some such scheme would probably be acceptable to Grand Lodge, yet they are of opinion that the matter should be left over for careful consideration during the ensuing year.

With reference to the Funds of Grand Lodge, which are deposited in a Special Account in the Canadian Bank of Commerce, the Board recommend that for the present the account be continued under the following terms, viz.:—Interest at 4½ per cent. per annum, credited monthly, and the said funds to be withdrawn only on the order of Grand Lodge, by cheque made upon the regular form, signed by the

President of the Board, countersigned by the Grand Secretary, and accepted by the Grand Treasurer. Should a more advantageous and equally satisfactory investment present itself, the President of the Board, with the approval of the Grand Master, may summon the Finance Committee to take the matter into consideration.

The Board regret to notice that fourteen Lodges have not made returns for two years and upwards, and recommend that the D. D. G. Masters of the respective Districts be requested to ascertain the cause and if possible obtain the required returns.

The application of Dominion Lodge, No. 218, Ridgeway, for a remission of arrears of dues, has been considered. Grand Lodge has, of late years, refused to grant requests of this nature. The Board cannot recommend that the petition be granted, but trust that by united and vigorous effort on the part of the members of the Lodge, its affairs may gradually be brought into a satisfactory position.

The Board, upon examination of the bond given by the Grand Secretary to the Grand Lodge, find it is a personal one, and recommend that in lieu thereof, a bond of \$5,000.00 be taken from the Guarantee Association, to be drawn in favor of the M. W. the Grand Master and the R. W. the Deputy Grand Master and their successors in office, said bond to be in the custody of the Grand Treasurer.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray, seconded by R. W. Bro. T. Sargent, and

RESOLVED,—That the Report of the Board on Audit and Finance be received.

Subsequently it was moved by R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray, seconded by R. W. Bro. T. Sargent, and

RESOLVED,—That the Report of the Board on Audit and Finance be adopted.

REPORT OF THE BOARD ON BENEVOLENCE.

R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray, on behalf of the Board, presented and read the following report:—

The Board have had under consideration the several applications for relief, and, after due consideration, recommend that the following appropriations be paid during the ensuing year from the funds of Benevolence, in two half-yearly payments, namely:—

No.	To Whom Granted.	Amount.	Through Whom Payable.
1	Toronto Loc. B. Relief	\$400	Sec.-Treas Toronto L. B. R.
2	Hamilton	200	“ Hamilton “
3	London	100	“ London “
4	Kingston	60	“ Kingston “
5	Peterboro'	50	“ Peterboro' “
6	Guelph	80	“ Guelph “
7	St. Thomas	80	“ St. Thomas “
8	Strathroy	20	“ Strathroy “
9	Goderich	20	“ Goderich “
10	Windsor	50	“ Windsor “
11	Woodstock	80	“ Woodstock “
12	Barrie	80	“ Barrie “
13	Belleville	80	“ Belleville “
14	Moore Lodge, No. 294, Refund	80	W.M. Moore Lodge, No. 294, Mooretown.
15	Blackwood Lodge, No. 811, Refund.....	20	W.M. Blackwood Lodge, No. 811, Woodbridge.
16	Widow of J. K	80	Sec.-Treas. Toronto L. B. R.
17	“ A. D. G.....	40	“ “ “
18	“ A. G.....	80	“ “ “
19	“ B. S. D.....	80	“ “ “
20	“ W. J.....	80	“ “ “
21	“ J. J.....	80	“ “ “
22	“ F. N.....	40	“ “ “
23	“ J. W. C.....	40	“ “ “
24	“ J. A.....	80	“ “ “

To Whom Granted.		Amount.	Through Whom Payable.		
Widow of J. F.....		\$40	Sec.-Treas.	Toronto	L.B. R..
"	J. P.....	40	"	"	"
"	J. McK.....	40	"	"	"
"	H. B.....	30	"	"	"
"	J. H. F.....	40	"	"	"
"	R. R.....	40	"	"	"
"	J. G.....	30	"	"	"
"	R. S. B.....	20	"	"	"
Bro. A. T. H.....		50	"	"	"
Orphans of W. D.....		40	"	"	"
Widow of A. C.....		40	"	Hamilton	"
"	G. S.....	30	"	"	"
7	"	P. P.....	20	"	"
8	"	W. W. P....	30	"	"
9	"	E. J. A.....	30	"	"
0	"	G. S.....	20	"	"
1	"	H. M.....	40	"	"
2	"	T. B. H.....	40	"	"
3	"	O. S.....	20	"	"
4	"	J. H. W...	30	"	"
5	"	T. K.....	40	"	"
6	"	J. W. F.....	20	"	"
7	"	W. W. R...	30	"	"
8	"	P. S.....	30	"	"
9	"	W. L.....	30	"	"
0	"	T. McC.....	20	"	"
1	"	W. A. H....	20	"	"
2	"	T. G. S.....	20	"	"
3	"	J. W. H...	30	"	"
4	"	W. J. S. K.	20	"	"
5	"	J. S. L.....	40	"	"
6	"	J. McK.....	40	"	"
7	Mrs. S. A. L.....		30	"	"
8	Widow of A. McM.....		20	"	"
9	"	W. M. M...	40	"	"

No.	To Whom Granted.	Amount.	Through Whom Payable.		
60	Widow of C. B.....	\$40	Sec.-Treas.	Hamilton	L.B.R.
61	" J. E.....	20	"	"	"
62	Wife of J. R. G.....	40	"	"	"
63	Brother C. S.....	50	"	"	"
64	Orphans of R. B.....	80	"	"	"
65	Widow of T. G. W....	20	"	London	"
66	" J. McD.....	40	"	"	"
67	" J. L. L.....	20	"	"	"
68	" E. L.....	30	"	"	"
69	" A. McI.....	20	"	"	"
70	" T. L.....	40	"	"	"
71	" C. B.....	40	"	"	"
72	" L. H.....	80	"	"	"
73	" E. W. G....	20	"	"	"
74	" D. M.....	20	"	"	"
75	" G. H.....	20	"	"	"
76	" A. G.....	40	"	"	"
77	" G. C.....	40	"	"	"
78	" C. H.....	40	"	"	"
79	" J. P.....	30	"	"	"
80	" W. H. K....	50	"	"	"
81	" O. A.....	20	"	"	"
82	" T. McC. L..	30	"	"	"
83	" J. W.....	20	"	"	"
84	Wife & child'n of J. M.	40	"	"	"
85	Orphans of R. B.....	40	"	"	"
86	" A. C.....	30	"	"	"
87	Widow of T. H.....	80	"	Kingston	"
88	" B. C. D.....	30	"	"	"
89	" J. M. H.....	30	"	"	"
90	" R. C. B.....	40	"	"	"
91	" O. P. W....	40	"	"	"
92	" D. L.....	40	"	"	"
93	" G. A.....	20	"	"	"
94	" W. R.....	80	"	"	"

To Whom Granted.	Amount.	Through Whom Payable.		
Widow of J. R. T.....	\$20	Sec.-Treas.	Kingston	L.B.R.
" A. D. McD.	20	"	"	"
" J. K. O.....	30	"	"	"
" J. K. O.....	20	"	"	"
" W.T.....	30	"	"	"
" W.R.....	30	"	"	"
Brother S. B.....	50	"	"	"
" J. B. C.....	40	"	"	"
Widow of M. J. M....	20	"	Ottawa	"
" T. S.....	40	"	"	"
" J. S.....	30	"	"	"
" J. H.....	40	"	"	"
Brother J. T.....	40	"	"	"
Orphans of J. M.....	20	"	"	"
" J. O.....	40	"	"	"
Widow of W. McG ...	40	"	Peterboro'	"
" J. H.....	30	"	"	"
" F. W. R....	40	"	"	"
" T.B. M.....	40	"	"	"
" E. T.....	40	"	"	"
" S. W.....	30	"	"	"
Brother of J. N.....	50	"	"	"
Widow of W. C.....	30	"	Guelph	"
" G. B.....	30	"	"	"
Daughter of R. H. L...	20	"	"	"
Brother G. S.....	50	"	"	"
Widow of H. S. W. S.	30	"	Galt	"
" C. J. E.....	30	"	"	"
" R. W. M...	20	"	"	"
" J. C. S.....	40	"	"	"
" J. S.....	30	"	"	"
" D. R.....	20	"	"	"
" W. J. B.....	20	"	"	"
" H. H.....	40	"	"	"
" J. McN.....	20	"	"	"

No.	To Whom Granted.	Amount.	Through Whom Payable.
180	Widow of E. C..	\$40	Sec.-Treas.Goderich L.B.R.
181	" H. R.....	80	" " "
182	" M. McP....	40	" " "
188	" P. F. W...	80	" " "
184	" M. C.....	20	" Woodstock "
185	" W. P.....	80	" " "
186	" R. C. M...	40	" " "
187	" J. O.....	20	" " "
188	" W. D.....	40	" " "
189	Brother E. A. H. F...	80	" " "
140	" J. B.....	50	" Barrie "
141	Orphans of J. H. M...	40	" " "
142	Widow of A. D.....	40	" Belleville "
148	" R. N.....	40	" " "
144	" E. L. A....	20	" " "
145	" J. P. McP...	80	" Chatham "
146	" R. L.....	80	" " "
147	" D. O.....	80	" " "
148	" J. S.....	80	" St. Thomas.
149	" J. B	80	" " "
150	" J. T.....	80	W. M. Niagara, 2
151	" R. H.....	20	" " "
152	" J. T.....	80	" Sussex, 5
158	" J. W.....	80	" " "
154	" F. A. C.....	80	" " "
155	Daughter of T. N.....	80	" Union, 9
156	Widow of W. D. H....	40	" Norfolk, 10
157	" J. J. C.....	80	" Prince Edward, 18
158	" W. S.....	80	" " "
159	" R. L.....	80	" St. Francis, 24
160	" J. W.....	40	" " "
161	" J. McG.....	80	" Ontario, 26
162	Brother J. B. R.....	40	" United, 29
168	Widow of T. B. C.....	80	" Composite, 80
164	" J. C.....	20	" " "

To Whom Granted.		Amount.	Through Whom Payable.	
5	Orphans of R. F.....	\$40	W. M.	Composite, 80
6	Widow of D. McC.....	20	"	Amity, 82
7	" J. L.....	40	"	"
8	" W. L.....	80	"	"
9	" S. B.....	40	"	"
0	" W. J.....	80	"	"
1	" M. J. S.....	80	"	Thistle, 84
2	Brother J. McV.....	50	"	"
3	Widow of W. P.....	20	"	Mount Zion, 39
4	" F. E. D.....	20	"	Madoc, 48
5	" R. W.....	20	"	Vaughan, 54
6	" J. M.....	20	"	"
7	" C. E. V.....	20	"	"
8	" T. S. R.....	20	"	"
9	" J. W. L.....	40	"	Merrickville, 55
0	" W. A. B...	80	"	St. James, 78
1	Brother G. F. M.....	50	"	"
2	Widow of J. B.....	20	"	Albion, 80
3	Brother D. G.....	50	"	"
4	Widow of D. McL.....	80	"	St. John's, 81
5	" J. G. F.....	80	"	St. George's, 88
6	" R. H.....	40	"	Manito, 90
7	" A. B.....	20	"	Colborne, 91
8	" G. G.....	20	"	"
9	Brother L. T.....	50	"	"
0	Orphans of T. G. F...	80	"	"
1	Brother J. M.....	40	"	Northern Light, 98
2	Orphans of W. J. D...	80	"	"
3	Widow of W. H.....	80	"	Sharon, 97
4	Orphans of J. W. A...	20	"	"
5	Widow of R. F.....	20	"	"
6	Brother J. R.....	50	"	Tuscan, 99
7	" J. D.....	50	"	Valley, 100
8	Widow of W. McG...	20	"	Maple Leaf, 108
9	" R. B.....	80	"	"

- 206 " T. P. D
207 " J. R.....
208 " H. O'N.
209 Brother P. H.....
210 Widow of J. A....
211 " J. D. R..
212 " J. W. I
213 " R. G.....
214 Daughter of J. R. &
215 Brother W. F.....
216 " E. J. H...
217 " F. A. C ...
218 Widow of W. C.....
219 " C. R.....
220 " C. B.....
221 " W. H. C..
222 " J. C. C....
223 " D. R.....
224 Brother J. B. G.....
225 Widow of C. S. H.....
226 " G. S.....
227 Brother D. B.....
228 Widow of J. T

To Whom Granted.	Amount.	Through Whom Payable.
Widow of N. R.....	\$80	W. M. Quinte, 241
“ N. M.....	40	“ Thistle, 250
Brother A. K.....	50	“ “
Widow of J. A.....	20	“ Harriston, 262
“ R. J. C.....	30	“ “ “
J. S., son of T. S.....	40	“ Forrest, 263
Widow of J. A. B.....	30	“ Northern Light, 266
“ McK C.....	30	“ Cedar, 270
“ F. N.....	40	“ “
“ H. M.....	30	“ Wellington, 271
“ J. H. K.....	40	“ St. John's, 284
“ W. B. M....	30	“ Wingham, 286
“ A. B.....	30	“ Minerva, 304
“ J. S.....	40	“ Durham, 306
“ T. F. E.....	30	“ Arkona, 307
“ W. A. G...	40	“ Blackwood, 311
“ J. S.....	40	“ Blair, 314
“ D. J. B.....	40	“ “
“ J. A.....	40	“ Walker, 321
W.D., orphan of J.H.D	20	“ King Solomon, 329
Widow of A. McK.....	40	“ Brock, 354
A. B. C., wife of C. C...	30	“ R.W. Bro. Otto Klotz
Widow of H. L. T.....	30	“ Bro. Robt. Armour
Orphan of R. G.....	30	“ V. W. Bro. J. Might.

The following is an Abstract of the Returns received from
Local Boards of Relief as at 31st May, 1888—:

TORONTO.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand, 31st
May, 1882.....\$111 63
Direct grant from Grand
Lodge..... 300 00
Special grant from Grand
Lodge to 17 pensioners. 600 00
Grants from nine Lodges,

EXPENDITURE.

Special Grants from Grand
Lodge to 17 pensioners..\$600 00
Local Relief..... 364 00
Transient Relief..... 780 75
Funeral expenses..... 22 00
Incidentals and Loans.... 131 75

Balance on hand 31
May, 1882.....
Direct grant from Grand
Lodge.....
Special grant from Grand
Lodge to 29 pensioners
Grants from three Lodges
viz.:—Nos. 6, 40, 61...
Other sources.....

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand 31st
May, 1882.....
Direct grant from Grand
Lodge.....
Special grant from Grand
Lodge to 16 pensioners.
Grants from six Lodges,
viz.:—Nos. 20, 42, 64,
195, 209, 380.....

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\$6

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Grants from three Lodges	Total Expenditure...	\$735 00
viz.:—Nos. 3, 92, 253..\$158 00	Balance on hand....	4 09
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		\$739 09

PETERBOROUGH.

RECEIPTS.

EXPENDITURE.

Balance on hand 31st		Special Grants from Grand	
May, 1882.....	\$ 42 69	Lodge to 7 pensioners..	\$290 00
Direct grant from Grand		Local Relief.....	24 00
Lodge.....	50 00	Transient Relief.....	1 50
Special grant from Grand			
Lodge to 7 pensioners..	290 00	Total Expenditure...	\$315 50
		Balance on hand....	67 19
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	\$382 69		\$382 69

WINDSOR.

RECEIPTS.

EXPENDITURE.

Balance on hand 31st		Local Relief,.....	\$ 20 00
May, 1882.....	\$ 24 50	Transient Relief.....	31 50
Direct grant from Grand		Loans.....	15 00
Lodge.....	50 00		
Grant from one Lodge,		Total Expenditure...	\$ 66 50
viz.:—No. 47.....	28 50	Balance on hand....	51 50
Other sources.....	15 00		
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	\$118 00		\$118 00

GUELPH.

RECEIPTS.

EXPENDITURE.

Balance on hand 31st May, 1882.....	\$ 5 10	Special grants from Grand Lodge to two pensioners	\$80 00
Direct grant from Grand Lodge.....	30 00	Local Relief....	88 25
Special grants from Grand Lodge to 2 pensioners..	80 00	Transient Relief.....	4 00
Grants from three Lodges viz.:—Nos. 180, 258, 366	64 00	Funeral Expenses.....	5 00
Grant from one Chapter, viz.: - No. 40.....	5 00	Incidentals	20
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	\$184 10	Total Expenditure...	\$177 55
		Balance on hand.....	6 55
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			\$184 10

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RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand, 31st	
May, 1882.....	\$ 27 (
Direct grant from Grand	
Lodge.....	30 (
Special grant from Grand	
Lodge to 1 pensioner..	30 (
Grants from two Lodges,	
viz.:—Nos. 144, 332....	58 9
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	\$146 6

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RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand 31st	
May, 1882.....	\$ 14 75
Direct grant from Grand	
Lodge.....	20 00
Special grant from Grand	
Lodge to 3 pensioners..	110 00
Grants from two Lodges	

ay, 1882.....	\$ 6 39	Lodge, pd. 7 pensioners	\$200 00
ct grant from Grand		Local Relief.....	5 00
dge.....	20 00	Incidentals.....	98
ial grant from Grand		Other payments.....	85 00
dge to 7 pensioners..	200 00		
ts from two Lodges.		Total Expenditure...	\$290 98
os. 83, 366.....	85 00	Balance on hand....	20 41
	<u>\$311 39</u>		<u>\$311 39</u>

GALT.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
nce on hand 31st		Special grants from Grand	
ay, 1882.....	\$ 28 40	Lodge, paid 2 pensioners	\$60 00
ct grant from Grand		Local Relief.....	5 00
dge.....	10 00		
ial grant from Grand		Total Expenditure...	\$ 65 00
dge to 2 pensioners..	60 00	Balance on hand....	33 40
	<u>\$98 40</u>		<u>\$98 40</u>

WOODSTOCK.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
nce on hand, 31st		Special grants from Grand	
ay, 1882.....	\$ 4 90	Lodge to 6 pensioners..	\$180 00
ct grant from Grand		Local Relief.....	56 00
dge.....	30 00	Transient Relief.....	8 55
ial grants from Grand		Incidentals.....	19
dge to 6 pensioners..	180 00		
ts from two Lodges,		Total Expenditure...	\$244 74
z.—Nos. 43, 76.....	42 00	Balance on hand....	12 16
	<u>\$256 90</u>		<u>\$256 90</u>

BARRIE.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
nce on hand, 31st		Special grant from Grand	
ay, 1882.....	\$ 13 50	Lodge to 1 pensioner..	\$ 40 00
ct grant from Grand		Local Relief.....	11 50
dge.....	30 00	Transient Relief.....	20 00
ial grant from Grand			
dge to 1 pensioner..	40 00	Total Expenditure...	\$ 71 50

to make returns as require
consequence of which subse
the funds of Benevolence
such returns are made.

It is gratifying to find that
have by local contribution
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The lodges which have made incorrect returns, either by not at all showing the grants received and paid over, or by only showing one of the half-yearly grants as received and paid over, while they should show both, are the following, namely:—Nos. 99 and 104.

The undersigned, Chairman of the Committee on Benevolence, begs to report:—

Shortly after the last Annual Communication of Grand Lodge, I prepared two circulars, the one explaining the system of granting aid from the funds of Benevolence of Grand Lodge, and the Rules of Grand Lodge regulating the same. A copy of this circular was sent to each lodge under this jurisdiction with a view to enable every member to fully inform himself upon that subject. The other circular was specially addressed to lodges in default of making Returns of grants of Benevolence, explaining the consequences of such neglect, and urging compliance with the Rules of Grand Lodge; a copy of the latter circular, together with a blank form of Report was sent to each defaulting lodge.

The result of these circulars has, upon the whole, been satisfactory; a large number of lodges made returns forthwith, apologizing for the delay and thanking for the indulgence, while still ten lodges continue in their default; these are lodges Nos. 34, 196 and 362, for grants made in 1879; and lodges Nos. 45, 77, 171, 179, 282 and 312, for grants made in 1881.

An additional Book of Entry in connection with the Benevolent Fund has been opened; in this book each lodge

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The Board having had before them the several papers sent to the Grand Secretary by Bro. H. Lockwood, beg to report :

1. Brother Lockwood in his printed circular informs the reader that he wants to found an *Orphan Asylum*.

2. But also says that he would not call it an Asylum either, but a Freemasons' School.

3. This appears rather a singular way of starting a project, where the promoter acknowledges that from fear of wounding the finer feelings of even children, desires to substitute for that name of his scheme which fully conveys its objects, a name which is far less expressive and less comprehensive.

4. Brother Lockwood proposes in his circular a plan for raising \$100,000 to set his scheme in operation; he informs the Grand Secretary by letter that he has attempted to carry out his plan of which he felt sure of success, but acknowledges that after trial the same has proved an utter failure.

5. Brother Lockwood after having experienced this failure, hits upon another plan, which is that the Grand Lodge of Canada take the lead in this matter, and assist him in collecting the desired funds.

6. It is rather singular that Brother Lockwood appears to have only thought of enlisting the interest of Grand Lodge on behalf of his scheme, after his own private efforts to carry it out have failed; and that he did not at the outset become convinced that his plan is impracticable, of uncertain results, and in every respect unreliable, because exclusively dependent upon an annual, voluntary contribution by about 18,000 members of a small sum each, men who could not be bound legally to pay what they are supposed by that plan to pay, and who, moreover, constantly change, not only in mind, but in purse, and in the personal as well.

a liberal education, and we are compelled to remain in Ontario, which has the best rational school system in which every child in the Province is liberal, and a free tuition, liable to punishment under neglecting to afford such tuition where the expense of tuition is system, but by a general tax in the country, irrespective of a ratepayer has under his poorest inhabitant enjoys tuition with those of the most our noble Province of Ontario establishment of a separate tary contribution, must necessarily brought to a successful result

REPORT OF THE BOARD
OF MANAGERS

R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray
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It was moved by R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray, seconded by R. W. Bro. Otto Klotz, and

RESOLVED,—That the Report of the Board on Bro. Lockwood's Scheme be received.

Subsequently it was moved by R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray, seconded by R. W. Bro. Otto Klotz,

That the Report of the Board on Bro. Lockwood's Scheme be adopted.

The resolution was put to Grand Lodge and declared lost.

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Your Board are gratified to see by the reports submitted that Lodges of Instruction have been held in St. Clair, and London Districts. It is much to be regretted that the eleven other Districts have not followed the good example set them by the Districts named, and it is to be hoped those who in the future are honored with the care of Districts will

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It is worthy of remark that on public occasions members of the Craft turn out in large numbers, and show their respect for Masonic principles, particularly as regards Divine Service on the Festivals of St. John. Your Board observe with pleasure that in the various Districts the Craft have been called upon to take an active part in public ceremonies, thus bringing the principles of Masonry more prominently before the public. There can be no doubt that these public ceremonials result in great benefit to the Craft, and instill in the minds of the people at large a respect and veneration for our beloved institution, which cannot fail to bring about an accession to our ranks, and at the same time strengthen the ardor of the brethren. The seed thus planted will, in its own good time, bring forth good fruit, and silently but surely tend to the up-growing of the great tree of Masonry, under whose protecting shadow it is our pleasure and delight to stand.

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each District ; in St. Clair, every effort should be made to officers of each lodge.

The undue multiplication against, as the effect is to v established Lodges. Your B in Huron District two Lodge that a petition has been sent others. Your Board trust the divided interests will result in of Masonry in the localities taking place. In this connect the report of the District Dep tawa District. That officer Lodges in Ottawa city, and is Lodges now exist, three would Niagara, and Prince Edward examination it was found that lished with advantage to the M.'s have made the necessary would specially direct the att of Districts to the exercise of ing the issue of dispensations

M. of Wellington District, to the custom of allowing non-Masonic organizations to meet in Masonic Lodge rooms. It is in direct contravention of the rules of Grand Lodge for such joint meetings to be held, and it is the duty of the District Deputy Grand Master to see that the rules of Grand Lodge are carried out. All bodies strictly non-Masonic should be excluded from Masonic Lodge rooms.

The Board observe with gratification, and highly appreciate the gift of a large plot of ground in Mount Pleasant cemetery, Toronto, to the Central Board of Benevolence of that city, by R. W. Bro. J. Ross Robertson, Grand Senior Warden. The plot is given for the benefit of our brethren who may die in circumstances of poverty and distress.

Your Board notice with pleasure that the Grand Master has been indefatigable in the course of his various visits in promoting the growth of established Lodges, and that the receptions accorded him have been of the most encouraging and warmest character. A reception given to him by the Hamilton brethren was most enthusiastic, and was attended by an exceedingly large number of members of the Craft from Hamilton and the surrounding Districts. It is gratifying to see that we have in the present Grand Master an officer who is so earnest and conscientious in the discharge of his duties, and who has exhibited a sincere desire to promote harmony and good fellowship amongst the members of the Craft.

It is always a matter of sincere regret when we have to record the demise of brethren whom we esteem and respect, who have stood in the ranks with us, who have discharged their duties faithfully, and have been called away to a better land to receive the rewards which are in store for those who have fought the good fight as worthy citizens and well beloved brethren. Amongst those who have been called away is our worthy Brother W. B. Simpson, of Montreal, Past

strength. Now he lies under all mankind. Seldom is it the death of one of its officers, Bray from this scene of labor, helpmate, and one that was ever principles which we so much love let us place these respected names at rest" we shall keep their memoirs as a treasure the remembrance of meetings when they were with us of the Order which we all love.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. J. Ross Robertson,

RESOLVED,—That the Report of the Board be received.

Subsequently it was moved and seconded by R. W. Bro. J. Ross Robertson,

RESOLVED,—That the Report of the Board be adopted.

REPORT OF THE BOARD
R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray, Secy.

112, both held in the Town of Goderich, ask permission to amalgamate under the name of Maitland Lodge, No. 88, and have sent a petition to that effect, accompanied by copies of the minutes of both Lodges, unanimously approving of the amalgamation, and by a recommendation of the D. D. G. M. of the Huron District to the same effect.

The Lodges appear to have followed carefully the suggestions of M. W. Bro. Henderson in his address to Grand Lodge in the year 1881.

The Board recommend that the request be granted, and that the Warrant of Goderich Lodge, No. 88, be returned to the Grand Secretary, to have the name changed to "Maitland Lodge, No. 88," and the Warrant of Maitland Lodge, No. 112, be surrendered to Grand Lodge to be cancelled, and be then returned to Maitland Lodge, No. 88, to be kept as a memento of the union of the two Lodges.

(2.) That the Grand Secretary endorse on the Warrant of Maitland Lodge, No. 88, a statement of the circumstances of the amalgamation.

(3.) That the present officers of Goderich Lodge, No. 88, act as the officers of Maitland Lodge, No. 88, until the election of officers of that Lodge, and that the present W. M. and Wardens of Maitland Lodge, No. 112, hold their rank as Master and Wardens until the election, so as to entitle them to their past rank.

Several Lodges have applied to the M. W. the Grand Master, for permission to heal and affiliate certain persons who claim to have been initiated in irregular or clandestine lodges since the meeting of Grand Lodge in 1879. He has declined to grant the permission asked, holding that the resolution of Grand Lodge in 1877 would not apply to these cases, and has referred the matter to the Board.

The Board consider that persons in the position of those

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the Constitution, and the second schedule contains the Revised Rules and Regulations.

The principal changes are as follows:—

1. An alteration in the powers of District Deputy Grand Masters.

2. Giving Lodges the power to say what sum shall be required on the restoration of a Brother suspended for non-payment of dues.

3. Giving Lodges the power to remit the dues of any member.

4. Defining Masonic offences and jurisdiction.

5. Requiring the vote on Masonic Trials to be by ballot in all cases.

6. The abolition of the word "Exclusion."

7. Giving Lodges the power of restoration in all cases of suspension.

8. Dispensing with the necessity of taking a vote of the Lodge on the suspension of a member for non-payment of dues, when no excuse is offered.

All of which is fraternally submitted.

HENRY ROBERTSON,
Chairman.

SCHEDULE I.—AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION.

Article "Of the Grand Lodge," strike out section 28.

Article "Of District Deputy Grand Master," strike out section 4. Section 5 becomes section 4, and the second clause in section 6 should become a new section—No. 5.

Article "Of Private Lodges." Amend section 22 by striking out the last nine words, and inserting therefor the words

and regulations for the government
by the Grand Lodge."

Amend section 24 by inserting
the fourth line, the words "of
the Lodge may require, not ex-

Amend section 30 by striking
circumstances," and by adding
provided that notice of such motion
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Strike out section 36.

Strike out the foot note to sec

Article "Of Members and their
7 and 8.

Article "Of Appeal," amend
word "fourteen," and inserting
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**SCHEDULE II.—REGULATIONS RESPECTING
OFFENCES, AND PROCEEDINGS
IN CONNECTION WITH OFFENCES**

1. The following are Masonic

Adultery, and all lascivious association, whether with the relative of a Mason, or with a stranger.

Cruelty to wife or child.

Contempt for God or Religion.

Atheism.

Masonic communion with clandestine Masons or irregular Lodges.

Improper revelations.

Disobedience to those in authority, or contemptuous language towards them.

All countenance of impostors.

Contemptuous expressions respecting Masonry.

Wronging a Mason by fraud.

Violation of the secrecy of the ballot.

Unseemly conduct in the Lodge.

Undue solicitation of candidates.

Any intentional violation of the technical parts, or points of the several Masonic obligations.

Any violation of the particular injunctions of the ritual, or of any of the landmarks of Masonry.

Any violation of the Constitution, laws, edicts, rules or regulations of the Grand Lodge.

Any violation of the By-laws of a lodge by a member thereof.

JURISDICTION.

2. For any offence against the By-laws of his lodge, a Mason must be tried by the lodge to which he belongs.

8. For any other Masonic offence, a Mason may be tried either by the lodge to which he belongs, or by the lodge nearest to his place of residence.

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6. All charges and
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7. The trial of charges
pointed for the purpose
in case the trial be not
continued at any subsequent
be postponed. Notice
shall be given to all parties

PRELIMINARY

8. When charges shall be
above, the lodge shall decide
charges shall be accepted
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9. Immediately upon the acceptance of charges by a lodge, the Master shall appoint the time and place for trial; and it shall be the duty of the Master to cause the accused to be served with a duly attested copy of the charges and particulars, and notice stating the time and place appointed for the trial thereof; *Provided always*, that the accused shall be entitled to reasonable time and opportunity to prepare his defence.

10. If the accused shall neglect or refuse to attend in person, or by some brother authorized in writing to act as his counsel, after notice has been duly served on him, or if notice cannot be served on him personally by reason of his residence being unknown or beyond the limits of the district in which the lodge is located, then a copy of such notice shall be sent to him by mail, addressed to him at his last known place of residence, or left at his last known place of residence or with a grown-up member of his family; and upon proof that the notice has been sent to him, or left for him as above prescribed, the lodge at the time in such notice specified may proceed without his presence, and conduct the proceedings to a final issue; *Provided*, that at least one regular meeting shall intervene between the time of mailing, sending or leaving such notice, and any action by the lodge in pursuance thereof. In such cases the lodge shall appoint a competent brother to act as counsel for, or representative of, the accused.

11. In every case where a flagrant offence shall be committed by any Mason present while the lodge is at labor, the foregoing rules requiring notice and delay may be dispensed with, and the Master may order the offending brother to show cause *instantly* why he should not be punished, and may in his discretion proceed, or permit the lodge to proceed, to trial and suspension.

TRIAL, WITNESSES AND TESTIMONY.

12. Witnesses in Masonic trials, who are Masons, shall

pledge themselves to state nothing but the truth. be received with caution in fact, should be admitted be supplied by a Mason, tive testimony.

15. The evidence of be offered, shall be received of a Mason under charge viction.

16. The testimony of witness taken in open lodge, or by the Master. Witnesses examined only by a committee the Master. In either case person or by a brother Master shall be entitled to be present questions as they may desire.

17. The testimony of a lodge or a committee, may properly authorized person

lodge, they may, when necessary, summon for such purpose any resident Mason, whether he be a member of the lodge or not.

19. When testimony is taken in open lodge, the lodge shall be opened in the first degree; but the decision as to guilt or innocence, and the question of punishment, shall be severally determined in and by a lodge of Master Masons.

20. The Master shall decide all questions arising as to the relevancy of the evidence, and the regularity of the proceedings; and the Secretary or other person appointed for that purpose by the Master, shall take down in writing all the evidence submitted by both the prosecution and defence, and note all objections made by either party, and the rulings of the Master; and the record thereof shall be filed among the archives of the lodge; and the main facts of the case shall be entered upon the lodge records.

21. At the conclusion of the evidence, the accused and the accuser in person, or their counsel or representative, may, if they desire, address such relevant remarks to the lodge upon the merits of the case as may be deemed proper; after which the accused and the accuser shall retire from the lodge. Any member entitled to vote may express his views of the case, and of the law and the facts involved; and no member shall be permitted to withdraw from the lodge until after final action, except for urgent cause, and consent of two-thirds of the members present.

22. When a committee is appointed, as before mentioned, it shall consist of not less than three members of the lodge, either of whom, if objected to by either of the parties for cause to be fully explained by the objecting party, may be removed by the Master and another appointed.

23. Every such committee shall convene and select from their number a Chairman and Secretary; and when so

organized, shall have power, through the Master and Secretary of the lodge, to summon before them the accused and accuser, with their respective witnesses.

24. The proceedings of such committee shall be governed by the foregoing provisions so far as applicable. The duties of the Master and Secretary of the Lodge above prescribed shall apply to, and may be discharged by, the Chairman and Secretary of the committee.

25. The committee may sit whenever and as often as it may deem best for the interests of Masonry and the full investigation of the complaints before them; *Provided*, that every trial begun shall be prosecuted with as much despatch as the law governing the same, and full justice to the accused and accuser, will permit.

26. When the committee have concluded their labors, they shall report their proceedings and all the evidence to the Lodge; and upon retirement of the accused and accuser, any member of the Lodge present may express his views of the case; and any portion or the whole of the evidence shall be read, as he may require, to enable him to come to a decision.

27. A Brother against whom charges have been preferred, may deny or admit any portion or the whole of the charges and specifications.

28. In case an accused Brother shall plead guilty, such plea may be accepted as evidence, and shall render the taking of further proof unnecessary; but such plea shall not excuse the Lodge from voting upon the question of guilt or innocence.

29. No visitor shall attend the Lodge or committee for any purpose other than giving evidence during any of the proceedings of a Masonic trial, unless permission be granted by the Master, or by the Lodge, or by the committee, when the proceedings are before a committee.

JUDGMENT.

80. Upon conclusion of the trial, the question of "guilty" or "not guilty," shall be immediately and distinctly put by the Master, upon each charge in its order, which shall be voted upon separately; and every member present shall be required to vote by ballot; and it shall require a vote of a majority of said members to sustain any charge.

81. If any charge shall be sustained, the accused shall be then and there declared guilty, and the Master shall put the question as to whether the accused shall be suspended, suspended for a definite time, or reprimanded. Each of these questions shall be put separately, in the above order, if necessary, and shall be decided by a majority of the members present; and every member present shall be required to vote by ballot. The Lodge may also, by a like vote, recommend to the Grand Lodge that the offender be expelled.

82. When any Mason, after due trial, shall be found guilty of unmasonic conduct, punishment shall follow, which shall be proportionate to the offence.

83. When any Mason shall have been excluded or suspended by a Lodge, he shall be notified of such action by the Secretary, who shall also immediately report the same to the Grand Secretary. When any Brother shall have been acquitted, he shall be notified of the same by the Master in open Lodge, as well as by the Secretary in writing.

PUNISHMENT.

84. The Masonic punishment which shall be inflicted by chartered Lodges for unmasonic conduct, after due trial and conviction, shall be, in the discretion of the Lodge, either Indefinite Suspension, Definite Suspension, or Reprimand.

85. Suspension for any offence, subjects an offender, during such suspension, to an absolute deprivation of all the rights, privileges, and benefits of Masonry to the offender and his family.

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88. Any Mason who has
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in specified shall intervene between such decisions and Annual Communication aforesaid; if not, then such time shall apply to the next succeeding Annual Communication of Grand Lodge, or may be disposed of by the Grand Master during recess of the Grand Lodge.

1. Whenever an appeal shall be taken from any Lodge, Grand Master or the Grand Lodge may, upon investigation —

Dismiss the appeal, approve the proceedings, or affirm the decision appealed from; or

Modify or change a decision, or sentence, or inflict a penalty where the constituent Lodge has failed to do so; or

Set aside the proceedings of the Lodge for informality, remand the case for further proceedings; or

Give such directions as may appear reasonable and proper.

2. An appeal may also be taken to the District Deputy Grand Master of the District, for any irregularity in the trial, or any infringement of the rights of the accused, but not on questions of fact.

3. On such appeal the District Deputy Grand Master may either dismiss the appeal or set aside the proceedings, and order a new trial.

4. In all cases of appeal the Grand Master or the Grand Lodge may authorize the District Deputy Grand Master to investigate the case and report, with his opinion thereon.

5. The District Deputy Grand Master may hear and determine any subject of Masonic complaint on being specially authorized to do so by the Grand Lodge.

6. The decision or sentence of the District Deputy Grand Master shall in all cases be subject to appeal to the Grand Master.

47. Whenever the Grand Lodge, or the Grand Master or District Deputy Grand Master, on a review of the trial or other proceedings of a lodge, resulting in the suspension of a Mason, shall reverse or annul the judgment of said proceedings, or shall order a new trial, the accused shall be thereby restored to all his rights, privileges, and membership. When a case is remanded for a new trial, no amendment shall be made to the original charges, unless the accused have due and timely notice thereof.

48. Every lodge shall communicate to the Grand Secretary and to the District Deputy Grand Master of the District in which the lodge is situated, all suspensions as they may severally occur.

NOTE.—By Article 1 "of Appeal" in the Book of Constitution, it is provided that as the Grand Lodge, when congregated, is a representative of every individual member of the fraternity, it necessarily possesses a supreme superintending authority, and the power of finally deciding on every case which concerns the interests of the Craft. Any lodge, or brother, therefore, who may feel aggrieved by the decision of any other Masonic authority or jurisdiction, may appeal to the Grand Lodge against such decision. The appeal must be made in writing, specifying the particular grievance complained of, and be transmitted to the Grand Secretary. A notice and copy of the appeal must also be sent by the appellant to the party against whose decision the appeal is made.

RESTORATIONS AND RE-INSTATEMENTS.

49. A suspended Mason may be restored by the Grand Lodge or by the lodge which suspended him.

50. A suspended Mason (unless suspended for non-payment of dues), seeking restoration, shall petition the lodge by which he was suspended for his restoration. The petition shall be received at a regular meeting of the lodge, and shall lie over until the next regular meeting thereafter before final action thereon.

51. The Secretary of the lodge shall notify all the mem-

bers of the lodge of such petition, at least one week before the meeting at which the question of restoration is to be voted upon.

52. The vote on the restoration shall be by ballot, and it shall require a majority of two-thirds of the members present for its adoption.

53. If the lodge has ceased to exist, the petition may be made direct to the Grand Lodge.

54. Any Mason suspended for non-payment of dues seeking re-instatement, shall, on payment of dues, be restored to membership in accordance with the Constitution of Grand Lodge, without presenting such petition; *Provided*, that if the lodge from which a Mason shall have been suspended for non-payment of dues has ceased to exist, a petition for re-instatement may be made to the Grand Lodge.

55. Definite suspension shall expire by limitation; and any Mason so suspended shall be entitled to resume membership, and all the rights and privileges thereof, at the expiration of the time defined in his sentence, without vote or other action on the part of the lodge.

56. In all cases of restoration by the Grand Lodge, the restored brother resumes the status of a non-affiliated brother.

57. In all cases of restoration by a private lodge, the brother is restored to all his Masonic rights and privileges, including membership in his lodge.

MASTERS AND LODGES.

58. A Worshipful Master may be tried by his Lodge after the expiration of his official term, for any unmasonic conduct (except for official misconduct, or a violation of his official obligations). All complaints for official misconduct shall be made to the proper authority during the official term

of the offender, or within four weeks after the close of such term, otherwise he shall not be tried therefor.

59. When a controversy shall arise between Lodges, or between a Lodge and its Master, or charges be preferred, or an informal complaint be made, the same may be fyled with the Grand Secretary, who shall forward the same to the Grand Master; if the matter be deemed by him of a sufficiently grave character to warrant investigation, he may proceed in person, or appoint a commission of not more than seven nor less than three Masters, or Past Masters, with, if consistent, the District Deputy Grand Master as Chairman, to investigate such charges or complaint; such commission shall have authority to summon witnesses, and shall have such other powers as may be specially delegated to them by the Grand Master; and said commission shall make such report, and give such opinion to the Grand Master, as will enable him to make a final decision.

60. When a Master or other officer of a Lodge shall be deposed from office only, he shall not thereby be deprived of any of the rights or privileges of membership.

NON-PAYMENT OF DUES.

61. Any member of a Lodge, who is in arrears for dues to such Lodge, shall be proceeded against in accordance with the provisions of the By-laws of such Lodge in respect to the same, and the Book of Constitution.

62. In case no provision has been made in the By-laws of a Lodge for notice to, and procedure against, a member for non-payment of dues, the following procedure shall be adopted.

63. In case the dues of a member remain unpaid for twelve months, it shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Lodge to read out the name of such member in default, after which a special summons to appear at the next regular

meeting of the Lodge to shew cause why he should not be suspended, together with the statement of the amount of dues remaining unpaid, shall be sent to such member. Such summons shall be deemed duly served, if mailed to the last known address of such member.

64. In case such member shall not, before such next regular meeting of the Lodge, have paid the amount of such dues, and no such excuse be offered as the Lodge may deem sufficient, the Master shall forthwith declare such Brother suspended for non-payment of dues, and the Secretary shall notify the Brother of such suspension.

65. If any excuse be offered, the Lodge shall decide by a majority vote whether the same is sufficient or not.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. Henry Robertson, seconded by R. W. Bro. Otto Klotz, and

RESOLVED,—That the Report of the Committee on the Revision of the Rules for the Regulation of Masonic trials be received and published with the Proceedings.

CONSTITUTION AMENDED.

In accordance with notice given at the last Annual Communication, it was moved by Bro. J. A. Clarke, seconded by W. Bro. A. McDonald,

That Clause 24, "of Private Lodges," in the Book of Constitution, be amended by adding thereto the following words, "Provided always that the Lodge shall have power in all cases to remit the whole or any part of the arrears, as well as the Lodge dues, for the period he was so suspended; after notice of such motion has been given to the members of the Lodge."

In amendment it was moved by R. W. Bro. Henry Robertson, seconded by R. W. Bro. Otto Klotz,

That Clause 24, "Of Private Lodges," be amended by in-

serting after the word "and" in the fourth line, the words, "of such further sum, if any, as the Lodge may require, not exceeding the amount."

In amendment to the amendment, it was moved by R. W. Bro. L. H. Henderson, seconded by R. W. Bro. J. E. Harding,

That the further consideration of the question be postponed until the next Annual Communication of Grand Lodge.

The amendment to the amendment, and the amendment, were severally put to Grand Lodge, and declared lost.

The original resolution was then put to Grand Lodge, and declared carried.

GRAND LODGE CALLED OFF.

The Grand Lodge was called from labor to refreshment, until 8 o'clock p. m.

Wednesday, 11th July, A. D. 1883.

The Grand Lodge resumed labor at 8.30 p m.

PRESENT:

M. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, Grand Master,
On the Throne.

Grand Officers, Members, and Representatives.

DISTINGUISHED VISITOR.

R. W. Bro. W. G. Scott, P. D. D. G. M., Manitoba, was announced, received, and saluted with Grand Honors.

REPORT ON GRIEVANCES AND APPEALS.

R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray, on behalf of the Board, presented and read the following

REPORT:

The Board of General Purposes beg leave to report on the

veral matters submitted to them in the nature of Grievances and Appeals as follows:—

In the matter of
RENFREW LODGE, No. 122.

and

BRO. W. M. WRIGHT.

On the 4th August, 1876, Bro. W. M. Wright was indefinitely suspended by Renfrew Lodge, No. 122, for unmasonic conduct. On 7th Nov., 1882, the Lodge unanimously recommended that the suspension be removed.

The Board recommend that his suspension be removed, and that he be restored to good standing.

In the matter of
KERR LODGE, No. 280.

and

BRO. R. H. McCANN.

On the 11th June, 1878, Bro. R. H. McCann was indefinitely suspended by Kerr Lodge, No. 280, for unmasonic conduct. On the 26th February, 1888, the Lodge unanimously recommended that the suspension be removed.

The Board recommend that his suspension be removed, and that he be restored to good standing.

PEMBROKE LODGE, No. 128,

vs.

BRO. B. F. READ.

In June, 1880, Bro. B. F. Read was suspended from Pembroke Lodge, No. 128, for violation of his obligation as a Master Mason, and at the last annual meeting of Grand Lodge, his expulsion was asked for by the Lodge. The suspension was confirmed by Grand Lodge, and it was directed that Bro. B. F. Read be summoned to attend at the present communication, to show cause why he should not be expelled from the Craft.

No evidence of any service of the summons upon Bro. B. F. Read being before the Board, it is recommended that his

expulsion be held over, and that the Grand Secretary be instructed to summon Bro. B. F. Read to appear at next Annual Communication of Grand Lodge, to show cause why he should not be expelled from the Craft.

PEMBROKE LODGE, No. 128,
vs.

BRO. THOMAS A. FINDLAY.

In July, 1880, Bro. Thomas A. Findlay was suspended from

membership by Pembroke Lodge, No. 128, Pembroke, for embezzlement of the funds of the Lodge while Secretary, and at the last annual meeting of Grand Lodge was recommended for expulsion. The Board ordered that Bro. Thomas A. Findlay be summoned to attend at the present Communication, to show cause why he should not be expelled from the Craft.

No evidence of any service of the summons upon Bro. Findlay being before the Board, it is recommended that consideration of the question of expulsion stand in abeyance until the next annual meeting of Grand Lodge, and that the Grand Secretary be instructed to summon Bro. Findlay then to appear to show cause why he should not be expelled from the Craft.

BRO. D. H. DOWSLEY,
vs.

BRO. W. H. RANSFORD,
Clinton Lodge, No. 84.

Bro. D. H. Dowsley, a member of Clinton Lodge, No. 84,

charged Bro. W. H. Ransford, of the same Lodge, with gross unmasonic conduct. The charge was referred to a committee for investigation, at which evidence was taken on behalf of the accuser and the accused. The report of this committee having been submitted to the Lodge, the ballot was passed on the confirmation of the report, and on examination Bro. Ransford was declared suspended from membership, and recommended to the Grand Lodge for expulsion.

After considering the evidence and papers submitted, the

Board recommend that the Grand Secretary be instructed to summon Bro. W. H. Ransford to show cause at the next annual meeting of Grand Lodge why he should not be expelled from the Craft.

<p>BROS. ARMITAGE and STRONG, vs. BRO. JAMES H. BENSON, Britannia Lodge, No. 170.</p>	}	<p>In this matter three charges were preferred against Bro. James H. Benson, of Britannia Lodge, No. 170, for un-Masonic conduct.</p>
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The first charge was preferred by Brothers A. Armitage and Alonzo Strong, and by it Brother Benson was accused of having obtained their names to a bank note, dated 22nd August, 1882, by false pretences and misrepresentations, which note had to be paid in part by Brothers Armitage and Strong.

The second charge was preferred by Brother Strong, who accused Brother Benson of having obtained his name to another note, dated 9th October, 1882, by misrepresentation, which note has been paid in full by Brother Strong.

The third charge was preferred by Brother Strong, who accused Brother Benson of having embezzled the sum of \$150, the property of Miss J. McMichael, and of having absconded from the town of Seaforth leaving the notes and moneys unpaid.

The charges were preferred on the 2nd April, 1883, Bro. Benson having meanwhile gone to reside at Regina, in the North-west Territory, and were denied by Brother Benson, who was not present at the investigation, but was represented by counsel.

The lodge, after taking evidence, found Brother Benson guilty of the first charge, and not guilty on the others, and sentenced him to indefinite suspension.

From these findings there are appeals by Brother Benson as to the first charge, and by Brother Strong as to the other charges.

A perusal of the evidence leads the Board to the conclusion that it would be most unsafe to convict a brother on such material as appears in this case. The offence alleged in charge one is not a criminal offence, for which, even if committed, a person could be tried. It is even questionable whether, as explained by the evidence for the prosecution, it is a triable Masonic offence. If it be, it is probable that the lodges would find constant employment in trying similar matters.

The Board are, however, of opinion that the evidence was insufficient to support the charge. Indeed, the only witness who could have proved it, if true, was not called. It is distinctly denied by Brother Benson, who has always had an honorable reputation, and who paid two-thirds of the note and promises to pay the balance as soon as he is able.

Under the circumstances, the Board would recommend that the decision of the lodge on charge one be reversed, and the suspension of Brother Benson be removed.

As to the appeal of Brother Strong, on the second and third charges, the Board are of opinion that the conclusion of the lodge was correct, and that the appeals should be dismissed.

The Board are of opinion that the application of Brother Benson for his dimit should be granted by the lodge.

PRINCE OF WALES LODGE, No. 171,

vs.

BRO. JOHN L. DECOW.

} In this matter it
appears by a communication from the

Secretary of the lodge to the Grand Secretary, that after due trial at a regular meeting of Prince of Wales Lodge, No

171, Iona, Bro. John L. Decow was suspended from membership for grossly unmasonic conduct, and recommended to the Grand Lodge for expulsion. As none of the evidence or other papers submitted at the trial of the brother have been forwarded to the Board, it is recommended that the prayer for expulsion be held over until the next annual meeting of Grand Lodge, and that in the meantime the Secretary of the lodge be instructed to forward to the Grand Secretary the papers referred to, and that the brother be summoned to appear at the next Annual Communication of Grand Lodge to show cause why he should not be expelled from the Craft.

<p>In the matter of the appeal of W. Bro. J. WARD, against Rulings of District Deputy G. M.</p>	}	<p>On 5th March, '81, Welland Lodge, No. 86, resolved that the dues of W. Bro. George Gamble should be remitted by the payment of twenty-five cents. Bro. Gamble accordingly paid the same. On the 27th July, 1882, the lodge resolved that Bro. G. Gamble should be suspended "as he was before the re-instatement of twenty-five cents."</p>
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On 24th August following, the District Deputy Grand Master visited the lodge and then declared the last resolution void.

W. Bro. Ward appeals against this decision.

At this meeting the lodge resolved that the several accounts of all the brethren that were suspended for non-payment of dues the same time as Bro. Gamble, and of all those in arrears for dues should be settled up to March 10th, 1881, by each paying twenty-five cents.

On 21st December, 1882, a motion in substance to rescind last resolution was ruled out of order by the then W. Master, and his ruling was approved of by District Deputy Grand Master.

From this ruling Bro. Ward also appeals.

The Board consider that the decisions of the District Deputy Grand Master were correct, and therefore recommend that the appeal be dismissed.

BRO. JESSE ELDRIDGE,

VS.

BRO. JAMES SHIRTON, Palmer Lodge,
No. 872.

} Some particulars of
this case are stated in
the report of the Board

on Grievances and Appeals, at page 143, Proceedings of Grand Lodge, 1882.

The original report of the Board by which the accused, Shirton, was acquitted, was withdrawn on the statement made on the floor of Grand Lodge that he had confessed having committed the offence of which he was accused, and in lieu thereof the Board adopted the report printed on page 143.

In pursuance of the recommendation contained therein, the R. W. the Deputy Grand Master, held an investigation, of which all parties had due notice.

At the instance of the accused, W. Bro. Black, who had alleged in Grand Lodge that a confession had been made, was summoned before the Deputy Grand Master, as was also the brother to whom it was alleged the accused had acknowledged his guilt.

The latter denied that any confession had been made to him, or that he had ever said so.

Further evidence was taken by the Deputy Grand Master in the presence of counsel for both parties, and he finally came to the following conclusion:—

“After carefully considering the evidence originally before the lodge, the supplementary evidence taken by the District Deputy Grand Master, and that taken by myself, I am of opinion that the

charges have not been proved, and recommend that the report originally presented to Grand Lodge by the Board of General Purposes be adopted as the report in this case."

The Board, therefore, re-adopt their original report, which is subjoined, and they take the opportunity of expressing their regret that any member of Grand Lodge should, by unfounded statements on the floor of Grand Lodge, have occasioned the re-opening of this painful dispute, and caused a large amount of unnecessary trouble and expense, besides continuing the suspension of the accused brother for an additional year.

ORIGINAL REPORT OF THE BOARD.

BRO. JESSE ELDRIDGE,

VS.

BRO. JAMES SHIRTON.

In this case it appears that Brother Shirton, who is Junior

Warden of Palmer Lodge, No. 372, was charged by the complainant, Jesse Eldridge, with gross unmasonic and immoral conduct, and violation of his obligation as a Mason.

In December last the prosecutor brought four distinct charges of a very serious character against Bro. Shirton, in Palmer Lodge.

These charges were ordered to be tried, and after a considerable amount of evidence had been taken, the lodge at a meeting on the 7th Feby., 1882, acquitted Shirton, of all the charges, which were voted on separately.

From this verdict of acquittal the prosecutor appealed to the District Deputy Grand Master, who, after hearing the parties, and taking some further evidence, reversed the verdict of the lodge, found Bro. Shirton guilty, suspended him, and recommended him for expulsion.

The District Deputy Grand Master appears to have been most anxious to do justice, but while recognizing this, the Board cannot concur in the conclusion at which he arrived.

Exception was taken to the action of the District Deputy Grand Master on the ground that he had exceeded his powers in reversing the finding of the lodge, it being contended that the words of the Constitution and Rules for the government of Masonic trials, by which his powers are defined, enable him only to modify or change a decision or sentence, but not to reverse it.

The Board are of opinion that the powers given him would authorize the action he has taken.

It appears, however, that the District Deputy Grand Master took further evidence in the case, on which the lodge had no opportunity of acting. This proceeding was irregular.

The District Deputy Grand Master states that he arrived at his conclusion independently of the evidence so taken. Assuming this to be so, the Board are of opinion that the well-considered verdict of a lodge in such a case as the present should not be set aside, or interfered with, unless it is manifestly wrong, particularly when the verdict is an acquittal.

They recommend, therefore, that the original verdict of the lodge be affirmed, the accused brother declared acquitted, and his suspension removed.

In the matter of the complaint of
 ST. JOHN'S LODGE, No. 209a,
 against
 ST. JOHN'S LODGE, No. 20.

Lodge No. 209a
 claim that they are
 the owners of certain
 jewels and records which belonged to No. 209 Irish Registry,
 and that lodge No. 20 improperly detained them and refuses to
 deliver them up.

The facts out of which this claim arises, are shortly these: Lodge No. 209, Irish Registry, sent delegates on behalf of

the lodge to attend the convention called for the purpose of organizing the Grand Lodge of Canada, and on its organization, accepted a Warrant from it as No. 14, subsequently altered to No. 20. The lodge continued to work as No. 209, Irish Registry, till 18th July, 1856. On 12th August, 1856, the lodge met under the Warrant of this Grand Lodge in the same lodge-room as No. 209, Irish Registry, had used, and continued to use the jewels, furniture, &c., of No. 209, Irish Registry, but the Warrant of No. 209 was retained instead of being returned to the Grand Lodge of Ireland.

In 1859, some of the old members of No. 209, Irish Registry, revived the lodge, and continued thenceforth to work under the jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge of Ireland, till they finally surrendered their Warrant to that Grand Lodge and accepted their present Warrant, No. 209a, from this Grand Lodge.

This Grand Lodge, by resolution of 11th July, 1861, authorized the Grand Master to determine all questions affecting the standing of 209, I. R. On the 31st October, 1862, the Grand Master decided and declared that 209, I. R., was entitled to free and full recognition by the Grand Lodge of Canada. [See Appendix, No. 6, in printed minutes of Grand Lodge of 1863, p. 338.]

Under the circumstances of this case, the Board are of opinion that Lodge, No. 20, should not be deprived of the jewels in question ; but as to the records of 209, I. R., the Board are of opinion that 209a are entitled to the same, and therefore adjudge that Lodge No. 20 do deliver up to Lodge 209a the books of record and other papers now in possession of No. 20, in which are contained the records of 209, I. R., beginning on 19th August, 1842, and ending 27th March, 1855, and that 209a furnish to 20 a certified copy of said records, if required.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray, seconded by R. W. Bro. Henry Robertson, and

RESOLVED,—That the Report of the Board on Grievances and Appeals, be received.

Subsequently, it was moved by R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray, seconded by R. W. Bro. Henry Robertson,

That the Report of the Board on Grievances and Appeals be adopted.

In amendment it was moved by V. W. Bro. M. D. Dawson, seconded by R. W. Bro. J. B. Traves,

That the following be inserted as a substitute, without prejudice, for the Report of the Board on 209a vs. 20, namely, "In our opinion St. John's Lodge, No. 20, should not be deprived of the Jewels or Records of 209, I. R., but as both Lodges are descended from the same parent, that St. John's Lodge, No. 20, be respectfully requested to give St. John's Lodge, No. 209a, a certified copy of the records of the old Lodge, beginning on the 19th August, 1842, and ending with the minutes of the 18th July, 1856."

The amendment was put to the Grand Lodge and declared carried.

The Report, as amended, was then adopted.

REPORT ON ADDRESS OF THE GRAND MASTER.

R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray, on behalf of the Board, presented and read the following

REPORT.

The Board of General Purposes have had before them, and have considered, the very able address of the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, and they desire to submit to Grand Lodge the following remarks upon the subjects alluded to by him.

They notice with deep regret the serious gaps created in our ranks by the ravages of Death, which has during the past year struck down many brethren eminent in the Craft for their zeal and ability. They are consoled, however, by the hope that death has been for these brethren but a translation from the troubles of this world to the rest of the Grand Lodge above, where the World's Great Architect lives and reigns for ever and ever. The Board recommend that the memories of the deceased brethren may be perpetuated by memorial pages in our journals.

The papers submitted to the Board show that the loyal address of Grand Lodge was most graciously received by our beloved Sovereign, for whom the Board joins with the M. W. the Grand Master in asking Divine protection.

While observing with pleasure the evidence of our progress involved in the establishment of new Lodges, the Board desire to express their full concurrence in the remarks of the M. W. the Grand Master respecting the undesirability of unduly multiplying our Lodges. There are already many Lodges which could be spared, and which, instead of doing that healthy and active work which is required from a Lodge, require all their energies to maintain their own existence.

The record of the home work performed during the past year, attests our vitality and the activity and zeal of our Grand Officers, and the notices of Communications from foreign Grand Lodges, newly constituted, bear witness to the extensive influence which our principles possess in all quarters of the globe, and the favorable acceptance which they everywhere find. The Board concur in the recommendations for recognition which the M. W. the Grand Master has embodied in his address.

The remarks contained in the address on the subject of benevolence and the management of the Grand Lodge funds,

meet with the approval of the Board, who endorse the action of the M. W. the Grand Master in promptly relieving the distressed brethren in Kingston, Jamaica.

The correspondence of the M. W. the Grand Master with the Grand Lodge of England on the subject of the initiation of Mr. George W. Hogarth by St. George's Lodge, No. 440, in the City of Montreal, deals with a question of vital importance which, unless satisfactorily settled, is calculated to lead to serious complications.

The M. W. the Grand Master, in reference to this important subject of jurisdiction, asks nothing in our behalf which we are not ready to accede, and, indeed, have not already conceded to others. We have disclaimed the right to initiate any person who has not acquired, by residence for one year, a dimit within our jurisdiction, and we are entitled to ask in return a corresponding course of conduct on the part of foreign Grand Lodges.

The consequences must otherwise be disastrous to the true interests of Masonry by the admission within its ranks of unworthy persons, who, despairing of initiation within the jurisdiction in which they reside, will seek for, and obtain, initiation in a foreign Lodge.

Until a convention on this subject is arrived at, the Board are of opinion that we should refuse to give the status and privileges of a Mason to a man thus introduced into the Order.

The Board embrace the opportunity afforded by this report, of commending the liberality of R. W. Bro. J. Ross Robertson in erecting the Lakeside Home for little children, and giving the Masonic body certain privileges in connection therewith. They hope that this example will be followed by others, and that it will, in fact, create a generous emulation in this respect amongst the members of the Order, or such

of them as have the means to indulge liberal and philanthropic tastes.

The Board are pleased to bear their testimony to the satisfactory manner in which the Grand Officers have performed their duties during the past year.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray, seconded by R. W. Bro. R. T. Walkem, and

RESOLVED,—That the Report of the Board on the Address of the M. W. the Grand Master, be received.

Subsequently it was moved by R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray, seconded by R. W. Bro. R. T. Walkem,

That the report of the Board on the Address of the M. W. the Grand Master, be adopted.

In amendment, it was moved by R. W. Bro. J. E. Harding, seconded by R. W. Bro. J. B. Bickell,

That the Report be referred back to the Board, with instructions to insert a clause to the effect that the Grand Master be directed to issue his edict prohibiting the Lodges in this Jurisdiction from admitting any member from St. George's Lodge, 440, E. R., Montreal.

In amendment to the amendment, it was moved by W. Bro. J. H. Burritt, seconded by W. Bro. S. E. Mitchell,

That the Report be not now adopted, but be referred back, and that that portion of the Report referring to the correspondence with the G. L. of England, as to St. George's Lodge, E. R., Montreal, be amended by adding the following thereto, "and that this Grand Lodge, through their M. W. Grand Master, ask the Grand Lodge of England to amend their Constitution in so far as it refers to candidates seeking admission into all Lodges working under their jurisdiction in the Dominion of Canada, so as to provide for a similar period of residence, prior to such admission, as is now required by the Grand Lodge of Canada.

RESOLVED,—That
communicate to the
Grand Lodge of California
by means of further
ment respecting same

It was moved by
W. Bro. J. W. Pierson

RESOLVED,—That
business on Thursday

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In accordance with
communication, it was
seconded by R. W.

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In accordance with

ELECTION OF DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTERS.

In accordance with notice given at last Annual Communication, it was moved by R. W. Bro. John Creasor, seconded by R. W. Bro. John McLaren, and

Resolved,—That the Representatives of the several Masonic Districts shall meet at nine o'clock on the morning of the second day of the Annual Communication of Grand Lodge, for the election of District Deputy Grand Masters.

NEXT ANNUAL COMMUNICATION.

The following places were named for holding the next Annual Communication of Grand Lodge, namely:—

By R. W. Bro. David McLellan, the City of Toronto.

By R. W. Bro. R. T. Walkem, the City of Kingston.

Subsequently, it was Resolved that the next Annual Communication of Grand Lodge be held at the City of Toronto.

The Grand Lodge was called from labor to refreshment, to meet again on Thursday, the 12th July, at 10 o'clock, forenoon.

THURSDAY, 12th July, A. D. 1883.

The Grand Lodge resumed labor at 10 a. m.

PRESENT:

M. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, Grand Master,

On the Throne.

Grand Officers, Members and Representatives.

CREDENTIALS OF REPRESENTATIVES.

R. W. Bro. R. Hendry, Jr., on behalf of the Committee on the Credentials of Representatives, presented and read the following

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committee was appointed to procure a suitable testimonial for Most Worshipful Brother James Moffat, Past Grand Master, as a token of the respect and esteem in which he was held by the members of Grand Lodge. The Committee beg respectfully to report that after consultation with the Most Worshipful Brother, they ordered from England a complete set of regalia, and presented it on the 31st day of January last, on the occasion of a grand gathering of Masons who had assembled in the building of the Masonic Temple, in the City of London. There were present an immense concourse of Masons and their ladies, as well as many eminent brethren from different parts of our jurisdiction, among whom were the following members of Grand Lodge: P. G. M. Seymour, G. S. Mason, G. Chap. Davies, R. W. Bro. Klotz, and R. W. Bro. Jarvis.

R. W. Bro. Hungerford presided, and made the presentation, which was accompanied by an address, engraved and illuminated, of which the following is a copy:—

Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of Canada.

To M. W. Bro. Lieut.-Col. James Moffat, P. G. M.

DEAR SIR AND MOST WORSHIPFUL BROTHER,—Recognizing the many years of faithful service which you have given to Masonry, dating back to the formation of the Grand Lodge, your Brethren selected you to fill many important official positions, and finally placed you in the high office of Grand Master of the Grand Lodge. The duties of every office which you have filled have been promptly and zealously discharged, and especially was this the case with respect to the last and most important position occupied by you—that of Chief Ruler in this jurisdiction.

On behalf of, and authorized by the Grand Lodge, we ask your acceptance of the accompanying Past Grand Master's regalia, in recognition of the respect and esteem in which you are held by the Fraternity generally, and we pray that

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We all remember that beautiful biblical story of the Queen of Sheba, who, upon hearing of the wisdom of our first Grand Master, King Solomon, and hearing also of the great Temple he had built, determined upon paying him a visit. It is recorded that the journey was a long one, but difficulties are trifles in a woman's estimation, if she has made up her mind to accomplish it. She took with her a large retinue of servants, and costly presents for the king. On her arrival she was received most graciously, and treated in every way befitting her rank and station in life. Nothing else was to be expected from so exalted a personage as King Solomon.

No doubt she was introduced to the two Hiram, both illustrious personages in the annals of Masonry, and by them shown through and around the Temple. We are not informed whether she was initiated into the mysteries of Freemasonry, but we have every reason to believe she was not. Be that as it may, we know from that day to the present the ladies have always manifested a strong desire to become acquainted with Masonry. A great deal of nonsense, in my opinion, is given as the reason for not entrusting the ladies with our secrets, the chief one being that they could not keep a secret.

For my part I do not sympathize in the least with any such idea, and look upon statements of that kind as a libel upon the fair sex. It would be far better to say what is the truth, that our ceremonies are of such a nature that it would be impossible for ladies to undertake them. I want the ladies, however, to understand that although we cannot make Masons of them, they are greatly under our protection in many ways, unknown to themselves, and at this moment we have at least 200 widows that are receiving pecuniary assistance from our Grand Lodge, besides numbers of orphan children. Something like twelve thousand dollars are paid out annually, chiefly to assist the ladies. These things are not known but amongst Masons and those benefitted.

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fear, R. W. Sir, that you have greatly over-rated my abilities. I know that I have come far short of doing all that I might have done.

To some extent this may have been caused from the feeling that I belonged to an institution whose members were generous, and where the Divine precept is continually inculcated "to do unto others as we would wish to be done by." R. W. Sir, accept my cordial thanks, as also the brethren associated with you in carrying out so successfully the wishes of Grand Lodge in this matter, and be pleased to convey to Grand Lodge at the proper time my hearty appreciation of their kindness and of your own desire to meet my wishes upon this occasion. To the committee of arrangements charged with the duty of carrying out the instructions of the Lodges in this city and suburbs I owe a debt of gratitude I can never repay, no matter how anxious I may be to do so, nor how long the time given me to do it in. The hearty manner in which the Masons in this vicinity have taken hold to countenance and make the presentation a success in every sense of the word is something I can never forget. To all, from the highest to the lowest, here present and those absent I tender my warmest acknowledgments.

JAS. MOFFAT,
P. G. M., G. L. of C.

The Most Worshipful Brother was then formally invested with the Past Grand Master's regalia, and was accorded the grand honors by the brethren.

HUGH MURRAY,
Chairman.

It was moved by R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray seconded by R. W. Bro. E. B. Hungerford, and

RESOLVED,—That the report of the Committee on the Presentation of the Testimonial to M. W. Bro. James Moffat, P. G. M., be received and adopted.

Bros. M. E. Snider, A

The scrutineers have
were declared duly elected
term, viz:—

M. W. Bro. Daniel Spry,
R. W. Bro. Hugh Murray,
“ “ Edwin Plant,
“ “ John S. Dewar,
“ “ Rev. J. T. Wrigley,
“ “ E. Mitchell,
“ “ F. T. Malone,
“ “ J. J. Mason,

and by an order of
Bro. John H. Pritchard,

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The following brethren
representatives of Lodges as District
respective Districts, and
Grand Master, viz.:—

R. W. Bro. A. Jamison,
“ “ H. G. Lindsay,
“ “ Wm. McKay,
“ “ R. Radcliffe,
“ “ Hugh Hyndman.

BOARD OF GENERAL PURPOSES.

The scrutineers having reported, the following brethren were declared duly elected members of the Board of General Purposes for the ensuing term, viz.:—

R. W. Bro. J. Ross Robertson.....	Toronto.
“ “ Donald Ross.....	Picton.
“ “ R. T. Walkem.....	Kingston.
“ “ David McLellan.....	Hamilton.
“ “ Henry Macpherson.....	Owen Sound.

Subsequently, the Grand Master was pleased to announce the following appointments as members of the Board of General Purposes for the ensuing term, viz.:—

R. W. Bro. B. Saunders.....	Toronto.
“ “ L. H. Henderson.....	Belleville.
“ “ H. A. Mackay.....	Hamilton.
“ “ W. L. Hamilton.....	Ottawa.
“ “ E. H. Long.....	Waterford.

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS.

M. W. Bro. Daniel Spry, assisted by M. W. Bros. James Seymour and James A. Henderson, proceeded with the installation and investiture of the newly elected officers, who were proclaimed and saluted with the customary Masonic Honors.

APPOINTED OFFICERS.

At a subsequent date, the M. W. the Grand Master, was pleased to notify the Grand Secretary of the following appointments to office for the ensuing year, viz.:—

V. W. Bro. W. D. Gordon,	Kingston,	Grand Sr. Deacon.
“ “ John G. Robinson,	Toronto,	“ Jr. Deacon.
“ “ D. Sinclair,	Melbourne,	“ Supt. of Works.
“ “ Robt. L. Patterson,	Lambton,	“ Dir. of Cer.
“ “ C. H. Foster,	Hamilton,	Ass't Grand Sec'y.
“ “ J. Parker Thomas,	Belleville,	“ “ Dir. of Cer.
“ “ A. K. Scholfield,	Port Colborne,	Grand Sword Bearer.
“ “ W. R. Howse,	Whitby,	“ Organist.
“ “ A. G. Dobbie,	Lanark,	Ass't Grand Organist.

" " J. A. Ma
" " John A. V
" " John Wil
" " Ogden H

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R. W. Bro. Henry

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NOTICES OF MO

1. By M. W. Bro.
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3. By R. W. Bro. David McLellan—That section 7 “of the Grand Lodge,” in the Book of Constitution, be amended by inserting after the word “Masters,” on the sixth line, the words “who were installed Masters of Lodges on the Register of this Grand Lodge,” and that section 11 “of the Grand Lodge” be amended by adding thereto the words “on the Registry of this Grand Lodge.”

4. By Bro. ————— That section 1 “of the Board of General Purposes,” in the Book of Constitution, be amended by striking out the words “ten of whom shall be appointed by the Grand Master and the remaining ten,” and by inserting instead the word “who,” and by striking out the word “appointed” wherever it occurs.

5. By R. W. Bro. J. Ross Robertson—That the Toronto District be divided into two Districts, one to comprise the City of Toronto and the Villages of Parkdale and Riverside, and the other the remaining Lodges at present in the Toronto District.

6. By R. W. Bro. R. Radcliffe—

1st.—Private Lodges may by By-law admit their members to life-membership, on such terms as such Lodges may determine, and each such life-member may, in addition to any amount payable to his Lodge for such privileges, pay into the Grand Lodge the sum of (\$5.00) five dollars, which payment shall exempt his Lodge from the payment of further dues to Grand Lodge on his behalf.

2nd.—Upon such life-member withdrawing from the Lodge of which he originally became a life-member, and joining any other Lodge, such other Lodge shall not be obliged to pay any annual dues to Grand Lodge on his account; nor in case he becomes a life-member of such other Lodge shall he be obliged to pay a second fee thereof to Grand Lodge.

Brd.—Life-members shall be entitled to all the privileges of, and shall be amenable to discipline, in the same manner as ordinary members.

GRAND LODGE CLOSED.

The business of Grand Lodge being ended, it was closed at 3.45 o'clock p. m., in *Ample Form*.



J. J. Maxon
Grand Secretary.

APPENDICES.

GRAND SECRETARY'S STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS.

Statement of moneys received by the Grand Secretary
from 1st June, 1882, to 31st May, 1883.

NAMES OF LODGES.	\$ cts	NAMES OF LODGES.	\$ cts
2 Niagara	24 75	54 Vaughan	37 25
3 The Ancient St. John's	74 50	55 Merrickville	57 50
5 Sussex	70 25	56 Victoria	58 50
6 Barton	186 00	57 Harmony	19 50
7 Union.	26 50	58 Doric	81 50
9 Union	42 75	59 Corinthian	14 00
10 Norfolk	44 50	61 Acacia	199 75
11 Moira	56 00	62 St. Andrew's	29 00
14 True Britons	40 75	63 St. John's	27 00
15 St. George's	56 00	64 Kilwinning	87 00
16 St. Andrew's	166 50	65 Rehoboam	115 00
17 St. John's	66 75	66 Durham	14 25
18 Prince Edward	91 00	68 St. John's	44 00
20 St. John's	167 50	69 Stirling	55 00
22 King Solomon's	146 00	72 Alna	58 75
23 Richmond	32 00	73 St. James'	48 50
24 St. Francis	41 75	74 St. James'	0 00
25 Ionic	61 75	75 St. John's	174 50
26 Ontario	28 50	76 Oxford	66 00
27 Strict Observance	128 75	77 Faithful Brethren ..	26 00
28 Mount Zion	35 50	78 King Hiram	84 25
29 United	19 00	79 Simcoe	32 00
30 Composite	37 25	80 Albion	1 00
31 Jerusalem	42 50	81 St. John's	44 00
32 Amity	3 00	82 St. John's	16 00
33 Goderich	42 50	83 Beaver	95 25
34 Thistle	33 75	84 Clinton	0 00
35 St. John's	11 00	85 Rising Sun	51 00
36 Welland	42 00	86 Wilson	115 00
37 King Hiram	60 00	87 Markham Union	51 00
38 Trent	0 00	88 St. George's	61 50
39 Mount Zion	12 25	89 King Hiram	0 00
40 St. John's	178 00	90 Manito	65 25
41 St. George's	36 25	91 Colborne	81 50
42 St. George's	67 75	92 Cataragui	81 75
43 King Solomon's	49 25	93 Northern Light	62 25
44 St. Thomas	115 50	94 St. Mark's	0 00
45 Brant	54 00	95 Ridout	13 00
46 Wellington	58 25	96 Corinthian	49 50
47 Great Western	94 50	97 Sharon	55 00
48 Madoc	33 25	98 True Blue	0 00
50 Consecon	28 00	99 Tuscan	31 50
52 Dalhousie	0 00	100 Valley	55 50

GRAND SECRETARY'S ACCOUNT.—[Continued.]

NAMES OF LODGES.	\$ cts	NAMES OF LODGES.	\$ cts
101 Corinthian	25 75	161 Percy.....	41 50
103 Maple Leaf	66 25	162 Forest..	6 00
104 St. John's	23 50	164 Star in the East.	20 25
105 St. Mark's.....	33 25	165 Burlington.....	11 00
106 Burford	27 25	166 Wentworth.....	28 50
107 St. Paul's	45 25	168 Merritt.....	37 75
108 Rlenheim	17 00	169 Macnab.....	127 75
109 Albion.....	36 25	170 Britannia	69 25
110 Central	65 25	171 Prince of Wales.....	19 50
112 Maitland.....	56 50	172 Ayr.....	18 00
113 Wilson	31 25	174 Walsingham.....	1 00
114 Hope	20 00	176 Spartan.....	21 50
115 Ivy	53 25	177 The Builders.....	30 75
116 Cassia	27 75	178 Plattsville.....	26 25
118 Union.....	4 00	179 Bothwell.....	4 00
119 Maple Leaf	32 00	180 Speed	73 75
120 Warren	0 00	181 Oriental.....	15 75
121 Doric	15 00	182 Prince Albert.....	129 75
122 Renfrew	15 50	184 Old Light.....	23 00
123 The Belleville	65 25	185 Enniskillen..	24 00
125 Cornwall	44 00	186 Plantagenet.....	2 00
126 Golden Rule	22 50	189 Filius Viduæ.....	10 00
127 Franck	15 00	190 Belmont.....	40 75
128 Pembroke	56 25	192 Orillia..	55 00
129 The Rising Sun.....	62 50	193 Scotland.....	21 25
131 St. Lawrence.....	42 50	194 Petrolia.....	32 75
133 Lebanon Forest.....	67 50	195 The Tuscan.....	25 75
135 St. Clair	54 00	196 Madawaska... ..	12 00
136 Richardson.....	44 50	197 Sangeen.....	53 75
137 Pythagoras.....	70 75	198 White Oak.....	83 00
139 Lebanon	27 50	200 St. Albans.....	60 00
140 Malahide	44 00	201 Leeds.....	48 00
141 Tudor.....	37 50	203 Irvine.....	28 00
142 Excelsior	29 00	205 New Dominion	21 50
143 Friendly Bros.	29 50	207 Lancaster..	26 00
144 Tecumseh	57 00	209 ^a St. John's.....	148 75
145 J. B. Hall	1 00	209 Evergreen..	28 00
146 Prince of Wales	34 50	210 Hawkesbury.....	24 00
147 Mississippi.....	32 50	212 Elysian.....	24 75
148 Civil Service.....	40 50	213 Dominion.....	0 00
149 Erie	41 00	214 Craig.....	30 00
150 Hastings	16 00	215 Lake.....	12 75
151 The Grand River....	44 75	216 Harris.....	107 75
153 Burns	29 25	217 Frederick.....	5 25
154 Irving.....	36 25	218 Stevenson	73 75
155 Peterboro'	53 25	219 Credit.....	40 00
156 York..	52 25	220 Zeredatha...	65 00
157 Simpson.....	45 50	221 Mountain.....	52 00
158 Alexandra.....	20 75	222 Marmora.....	8 00
159 Goodwood.....	20 00	223 Norwood.....	36 75

GRAND SECRETARY'S ACCOUNT.—[Continued.]

NAMES OF LODGES.	\$ cts	NAMES OF LODGES.	\$ cts
234 Zurich.....	16 25	283 Eureka.....	65 00
235 Bernard.....	58 75	284 St. John's.....	37 00
236 Prince Arthur.....	35 00	285 Seven Star.....	38 00
239 Ionic.....	68 50	286 Wingham.....	42 50
240 Kerr.....	96 75	287 Shuniah.....	41 75
241 Lodge of Fidelity....	24 25	289 Doric.....	49 75
242 Cameron.....	18 50	290 Leamington.....	52 75
243 Doric.....	38 75	291 Dufferin.....	19 00
244 Beaver.....	21 50	292 Robertson.....	13 00
245 Aldworth.....	30 75	293 Royal Sol. Mother...	00 00
246 Manitoba.....	20 00	294 Moore.....	19 50
247 Vienna.....	18 00	295 Conestogo.....	46 25
248 Havelock.....	22 00	296 Temple.....	44 00
249 Tweed.....	7 00	297 Preston.....	15 25
241 Quinte.....	28 00	299 Victoria.....	30 25
242 Macoy.....	37 50	300 Mount Olivet.....	52 50
243 St. George.....	31 50	301 Hanover.....	2 00
245 Tecumseh.....	59 00	302 St. David's.....	60 00
247 Ashlar.....	58 75	303 Blyth.....	73 00
248 Eureka.....	14 00	304 Minerva.....	27 00
249 Caledonian.....	18 50	305 Humber.....	27 25
250 Thistle.....	69 75	306 Durham.....	28 00
253 Minden.....	72 50	307 Arkona.....	58 50
254 Clifton.....	15 25	308 Grafton.....	18 00
255 Sydenham.....	32 75	309 Morning Star.....	45 50
256 Farran's Point.....	33 50	311 Blackwood.....	38 75
257 Galt.....	57 00	312 Pynx.....	101 25
258 Guelph.....	50 00	313 Clementi.....	25 50
259 Springfield.....	9 50	314 Blair.....	33 00
260 Washington.....	19 50	315 Clifford.....	37 25
261 Oak Branch.....	18 50	316 Doric.....	2 00
262 Harriston.....	44 25	318 Wilmot.....	00 00
263 Forest.....	54 00	319 Hiram.....	16 00
264 Chaudiere.....	34 75	320 Chesterville.....	31 50
265 Patterson.....	19 50	321 Walker.....	25 00
266 Northern Light.....	19 00	322 North Star.....	42 25
267 Parthenon.....	45 00	323 Alvinston.....	75 50
268 Verulam.....	32 25	324 Temple.....	68 75
269 Brougham Union....	21 00	325 Orono.....	26 50
270 Cedar.....	88 50	326 Zetland.....	47 50
271 Wellington.....	27 25	327 The Hammond.....	14 75
272 Seymour.....	38 50	328 Ionic.....	40 50
274 Kent.....	26 50	329 King Solomon.....	29 00
276 Teeswater.....	22 25	330 Corinthian.....	85 00
277 Seymour.....	38 50	331 Fordwich.....	19 00
278 Mystic.....	26 00	332 Stratford.....	28 50
279 New Hope.....	18 00	333 Prince Arthur.....	80 25
280 Mount Sinai.....	00 00	334 Prince Arthur.....	24 00
281 Thorne.....	00 00	335 Langton.....	26 75
282 Lorne.....	00 00	336 Highgate.....	26 50

344 Merrill.....
345 Nilestown.....
346 Occident.....
347 Mercer.....
348 Georgian.....
349 Elgin.....
350 Port Elgin.....
351 St. Marys.....
352 Granite.....
353 Excelsior.....
354 Brock.....
355 Clandeboye.....
356 River Park.....
357 Waterdown.....
358 Delaware Valley.....
359 Vittoria.....
360 Muskoka.....
361 Waverly.....
362 Maple Leaf.....
363 Frontenac.....
364 Dufferin.....
365 North Star.....
366 Euclid.....
367 St. George.....
368 Salem.....
369 Mimico.....
370 Harmony.....
371 Prince of Wales.....

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ificates.....	\$2,888 00
ns.....	9,248 00
s.....	1,807 00
pensions.....	189 00
rrants.....	40 00
stitutions.....	431 75
t Masters' Certificates.....	14 00
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rest on General Fund.....	8,075 65
rest on Asylum Fund.....	895 00
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lement of payments made by the Grand Secretary to the Grand Treasurer, from the 1st June, 1882, to the 31st May, 1883.

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38. 31.—To Receipts ..\$18,044 90	<u>\$18,044 90</u>
	1882. July 22—By Gr. Treas. 4,000 00 Aug. 26— “ “ 2,000 00 Oct. 4 — “ “ 180 00 4 — “ “ 1,205 00 1883. Jan. 31— “ “ 3,000 00 May 18— “ “ 3,000 00 23— “ “ 1,500 00 31— “ “ 1,074 25 31— “ “ 215 00 31— “ “ 1,870 65
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GRAND TREASURER'S STATEMENTS.
GENERAL FUND.

Edge of Ancient Free & Accepted Masons of Canada in account with E. MITCHELL

	\$	cts.	1882.	
Mrs. T. B. Harris, grant to date.....		56	25	June 1--By Balance per Bal
Grand Secretary, salary to date.....		400	00	July 22-- " Grand Secretary
and Secretary's Assistant.....				Aug. 28-- " "

May 31st, 1882

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GENERAL FUND.—Continued.

1883.		1883.	\$	cts.		\$	cts.
	To amount brought forward....		11,540	50			
Jany. 2—	Paid Mrs. T. B. Harris, grant to date		56	25			
" 2—	" Miss Mary Wilson, " " "		75	00			
" 2—	" G. Sec'y's Ass't, salary to " "		200	00			
" 2—	" For Regalia presented to M. W. Bro. Moffat.		253	50			
Feb'y 28—	" Paid J. B. Traves, printing Proceedings, 1882, &c...		263	44			
Mar. 31—	" Wm. Bruce, engraving address to G. M.		21	00			
" 31—	" Miss Mary Wilson, g't to date		75	00			
" 31—	" Mrs. T. B. Harris, " "		56	25			
" 31—	" Mrs. W. M. Wilson, " "		75	00			
" 31—	" Masonic Hall Association, rent to date.....		43	75			
" 31—	" Grand Sec'y, salary to date,		400	00			
" 31—	" " Ass't, " "		200	00			
May 31—	Transfer to Ben. Fund, investment acct., 10 per ct. of gross receipts		1,457	42			
" 31—	Balance as per Balance Sheet.....		25,715	94			
			<u>\$40,483</u>	<u>05</u>			

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D. MITCHELL, Grand Treasurer.

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Our
Grand Treasurer, C.E. Mitchell, in account with E. Mitchell, Grand Treasurer, C.E.

DR. The Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of Canada is

1882.	3 Qrs.	1882.
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Paid Mrs. H. Howe.....	20 00	June 1	By Balance as per Balance Sheet, 31st May, 1882.....	2,526 88
" Mrs. T. Kelly.....	20 00	July 13	" Transfer from General Fund by vote of Grand Lodge.....	7,000 00
" Mrs. W. C. Douglass.....	20 00	Oct 4	" Grand Secretary, interest on Dominion Stock.....	1,205 00
" Mrs. F. Neal.....	20 00	May 31	" Grand Sec., interest on special deposit Bank of Commerce....	1,487 79
" Mrs. J. Cummings.....	20 00	" 31	" Grand Sec., interest on Bank account to 30th Dec'r, 1882....	482 86
" Orphans of S. Smith.....	20 00			
" Mrs. Braund.....	20 00			
" Mrs. Chichister.....	20 00			
" Mrs. Campaigne.....	20 00			
" Mrs. Davey.....	20 00			
" Mrs. Salmond.....	15 00			
" Mrs. Turner.....	15 00			
" Local Board, Woodstock.....	15 00			
" Mrs. Pettit.....	15 00			
" Local Board, Guelph.....	15 00			
" Mrs. Barber.....	15 00			
" Mrs. Cheetham.....	15 00			
" Mrs. Conklin.....	15 00			
" Orphans of T. G. Fowler.....	15 00			
" Mrs. Elliot.....	15 00			
" Mrs. Hortop.....	15 00			
" Mrs. Pringle.....	15 00			
" Mrs. Spence.....	15 00			
" Mrs. Andrews.....	15 00			
" Mrs. Hunter.....	15 00			

To amount carried forward.....	\$ 425 00
	\$12,602 53

1882.	1883.

By Balance as per Balance Sheet, 31st May, 1882.....	2,526 88
" Transfer from General Fund by vote of Grand Lodge.....	7,000 00
" Grand Secretary, interest on Dominion Stock.....	1,205 00
" Grand Sec., interest on special deposit Bank of Commerce....	1,487 79
" Grand Sec., interest on Bank account to 30th Dec'r, 1882....	482 86

		\$ ots.		1882.	
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June	1	By Balance as per Balance Sheet,	
		31st May, 1882.....	2,526 88
July	13	" Transfer from General Fund by	
		vote of Grand Lodge.....	7,000 00
Oct	4	" Grand Secretary, interest on	
		Dominion Stock.....	1,205 00
May	31	" Grand Sec., interest on special	
		deposit Bank of Commerce....	1,487 79
"	31	" Grand Sec., interest on Bank	
		account to 30th Dec'r, 1882....	482 86

\$25 00

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

1882.	1883.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.
July 31	By amount Brought forward.....	425 00	By amount brought forward..... 12,602 58
31	Paid Mrs. Bryant	15 00	
31	"	15 00	
31	" Board of Relief, Toronto.....	200 00	
31	" Mrs. T. D. Harington.....	50 00	
31	" Local Board, London.....	50 00	
31	" Bro. C. Smith.....	25 00	
31	" Local Board, Windsor.....	25 00	
31	" Bro. Tuttle.....	25 00	
31	" Bro. Geo. Smith.....	25 00	
31	" Bro. Reinhard.....	25 00	
31	" Board of Relief, Peterboro'.....	25 00	
31	" Bro. White.....	25 00	
31	" Bro. Blondheim.....	25 00	
31	" Bro. Newbold.....	25 00	
31	" Bro. Hodginson.....	25 00	
31	" Bro. Barclay.....	25 00	
31	" Bro. Howell.....	25 00	
31	" Board of Relief, Goderich.....	10 00	
31	" Mrs. W. J. S. Kerr.....	10 00	
31	" Mrs. Harvey.....	10 00	
31	" Mrs. Paterson.....	10 00	
31	" Board of Relief, Strathroy.....	10 00	
31	" Mrs. Child.....	10 00	
31	" Mrs. Moore	10 00	
31	" Mrs. Allen.....	10 00	
31	" Mrs. Abbot.....	10 00	
	To amount carried forward.....	\$1,145 00	By amount carried forward..... \$12,602 58

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

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1882.	1883.	\$	cts.	By amount brought forward....	\$	cts.
Aug. 31	To amount brought forward.....	1,145	00		12,602	53
31	Paid Board of Relief, Kingston.....	30	00			
31	" Mrs. Richardson.....	20	00			
31	" Mrs. Munroe.....	15	00			
31	" Orphans of Bro. Hudson.....	15	00			
31	" Bro. Parker.....	20	00			
31	" Mrs. Bennet.....	20	00			
31	" Mrs. Sproule.....	20	00			
31	" Mrs. Harvey.....	20	00			
31	" Bro. Tallon.....	20	00			
31	" Mrs. Benedict.....	20	00			
31	" Daughter of J. R. Steele.....	20	00			
31	" Mrs. R. C. Benedict.....	20	00			
31	" Mrs. Wood.....	20	00			
31	" Mrs. Davey.....	20	00			
31	" Orphans of Bro. Adam.....	20	00			
31	" Mrs. Rubidge.....	20	00			
31	" Mrs. Orr.....	20	00			
31	" Orphans of Bro. Kennedy.....	20	00			
31	" Mrs. McKenzie.....	20	00			
31	" Mrs. Martin.....	20	00			
31	" Bro. Wilson.....	20	00			
31	" Mrs. Hanes.....	20	00			
31	" Mrs. Tighe.....	20	00			
31	" Bro. Crook.....	20	00			
31	" Son of Bro. Shortt.....	20	00			
31	" Mrs. Holmes.....	20	00			
	To amount carried forward.....	\$1,665	00	By amount carried forward....	\$12,602	53

1888.
By amount brought forward.... 12,602 58

1882.		\$	cts.
Aug. 31	To amount brought forward.	2,185	00
Aug. 31	Paid Mrs. McKay	20	00
31	Mrs. Christie	20	00
31	Mrs. Adams	20	00
31	Mrs. St. John	10	00
31	Mrs. McCallum	10	00
31	Mrs. Halladay	10	00
31	Mrs. Russell	10	00
31	Mrs. Gosler	10	00
31	Mrs. Griffith	10	00
31	Board of Relief, Goderich	10	00
31	Mrs. Carroll	10	00
31	Mrs. Bradley	10	00
31	Mrs. Perrett	10	00
31	Mrs. McGhee	10	00
31	Mrs. Westcott	10	00
31	Mrs. McIntyre	10	00
31	Mrs. Mitchell	10	00
Aug. 31	Paid Mrs. Colver	10	00
31	Mrs. Purney	10	00
31	Mrs. May	10	00
31	Mrs. Christeman	10	00
31	Mrs. Clair	10	00
31	Mrs. Nicholson	10	00
31	Mrs. Bethune	10	00
31	Mrs. McDougall	10	00
31	Mrs. Spickett	10	00
	To amount carried forward	2,475	00

By amount carried forward.... 12,602 58

BENEVOLENT FUND.--Continued.

	1888.		By amount brought
	\$	cts.	
amount brought forward.....	2,475	00	
Russell.....	10	00	
McMenemy.....	10	00	
Little.....	10	00	
Robertson.....	10	00	
Taylor.....	10	00	
Snellgrove.....	10	00	
Arnold.....	10	00	
Reid.....	10	00	

BENEVOLENT FUND

1882.		\$	cts.
Aug. 31	To amount brought forward.....	2,830	00
31	Paid Mrs. Neil.....	15	00
31	Mrs. Campbell.....	15	00
31	Mrs. Rawlinson.....	15	00
31	Mrs. Phipp.....	15	00
31	Mrs. Eligh.....	15	00
31	Mrs. Davey.....	15	00
31	Mrs. Sharpe.....	15	00
31	Mrs. Sands.....	15	00
31	Mrs. Goldsmith.....	15	00
31	Mrs. Jackson.....	15	00
31	Mrs. Jolley.....	15	00
31	Mrs. Kestevan.....	15	00
31	Mrs. Briggs.....	15	00
31	Mrs. Adamson.....	15	00
31	Mrs. Denoid.....	15	00
31	Mrs. Fursier.....	15	00
31	Mrs. Garbutt.....	15	00
31	Mrs. Leith.....	15	00
31	Mrs. Tilt.....	15	00
31	Mrs. Francis.....	15	00
31	Mrs. Oliver.....	15	00
31	Board of Relief, St. Thomas...	15	00
31	Bro. Prentice.....	15	00
31	Bro. Richardson.....	15	00
31	Mrs. Ryder.....	15	00
31	Mrs. Skinner.....	15	00
	To amount carried forward.....	3,220	00

1883.

By amount brought forward..... 12,602 58

By amount carried forward..... \$12,602 58

By amount carried forward...\$12,602 53

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

	1883.	By amount brought
amount brought forward.....	\$ 3,220 00	
. Allen.....	15 00	
. Harper.....	15 00	
. Lewis.....	15 00	
. Smythe.....	15 00	
. Locke.....	15 00	
ghter of Bro. Nelson.....	15 00	
. Clegg.....	15 00	

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

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1882.	1883.	\$	cts.
	To amount brought forward.....	3,740	00
Sept. 30	Paid Mrs. Aishton.....	15	00
30	Mrs. Mitchell.....	20	00
30	Mrs. McKay.....	15	00
30	Mrs. Davey.....	15	00
30	Mrs. Richards.....	15	00
30	Mrs. Sommerville.....	15	00
30	Mrs. Pearly.....	15	00
30	Mrs. Reid.....	15	00
30	Board of Relief, Barrie.....	15	00
30	Mrs. Ellis.....	15	00
30	Mrs. Allan.....	20	00
30	Mrs. Laing.....	15	00
30	Mrs. Oldham.....	10	00
30	Bro. Oldham.....	20	00
30	Mrs. Wright.....	15	00
30	Mrs. Bracken.....	10	00
30	Bro. Graves.....	25	00
30	Mrs. Cameron.....	15	00
30	Mrs. Munroe.....	15	00
30	Mrs. Eastman.....	15	00
30	Mrs. Smith.....	10	00
Oct. 31	Mrs. Ferguson.....	10	00
31	Mrs. Perie.....	10	00
31	Mrs. Macpherson.....	15	00
31	Mrs. Geo. Smith.....	15	00
31	Mrs. Pickhaver.....	10	00
	To amount carried forward....	4,125	00
	By amount brought forward....	12,602	53

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

	1888.	By amount brought
amount brought forward.....	\$ ota.	
S. Robertson.....	4,125 00	
Gault.....	10 00	
Howells.....	25 00	
hans of Bro. Mowatt.....	20 00	
Horsey.....	20 00	
Hull.....	15 00	
O'Neil.....	15 00	

BENEVOLENT FUND.

By amount brought forward..... 12,602 53

1883.

1883.		\$	cts.
Jan'y 31	To amount brought forward.....	5,048	33
31	Paid Mrs. Pettit.....	15	00
31	Mrs. Douglass.....	20	00
31	Bro. Fauquier.....	15	00
31	Board of Relief, Windsor.....	25	00
31	Mrs. St. John.....	10	00
31	Orphan of Bro. Smith.....	20	00
31	Board of Relief, Guelph.....	15	00
31	Mrs. Barber.....	15	00
31	Bro. G. Smith.....	25	00
31	Mrs. Newbury.....	20	00
31	Bro. Harley.....	25	00
31	Bro. Munroe.....	20	00
31	Mrs. Gosler.....	10	00
31	Orphans of Bro. Fowler.....	15	00
31	Mrs. Preston.....	20	00
31	Mrs. Salmoni.....	15	00
31	Mrs. Fitton.....	15	00
31	Mrs. Carrol.....	10	00
31	Mrs. Clegg.....	15	00
31	Children of Bro. Francis.....	20	00
31	Mrs. Turner.....	15	00
31	Board of Relief, Goderich.....	10	00
31	Mrs. Watson.....	15	00
31	Mrs. Lingerfetter.....	20	00
31	Mrs. Hall.....	15	00
31	Mrs. Christeman.....	10	00
	To amount carried forward....	5,478	33

By amount carried forward..... \$12,602 53

To amount carried forward.... \$5,478 33

BENEVOLENT FUND.--Continued.

	1888	By amount brought
amount brought forward.....	\$ 5,478 33	ots.
. Covill.....	15 00	
. Wright.....	15 00	
. Chaloner.....	15 00	
. Salmond.....	15 00	
. rd Relief, Stratford.....	15 00	
. Locke.....	15 00	
. Hortup.....	15 00	
. Martin.....	20 00	
. Conklin.....	15 00	
. Parney.....	10 00	
. rd Relief		

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

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12	1883.	1883.	\$	cts.	\$	cts.
		To amount brought forward.....	5,958	33	By amount brought forward.....	12,602 53
	Jan'y.31	Paid Mrs. Eastman.....	15	00		
	31	Board Relief, London.....	50	00		
	31	Mrs. Child.....	10	00		
	31	Mrs. Moore.....	10	00		
	31	Mrs. McGibony.....	15	00		
	31	Mrs. Sands.....	15	00		
	31	Mrs. Shupe.....	15	00		
	31	Bro. Prentice.....	15	00		
	31	Mrs. Hanes.....	20	00		
	31	Mrs. Lewis.....	15	00		
	31	Mrs. Halladay.....	10	00		
	31	Mrs. McGregor.....	20	00		
	31	Daughter Bro. Nelson.....	15	00		
	31	Mrs. Gordon.....	15	00		
	31	Mrs. LeRoy.....	15	00		
	31	Bro. Wilson.....	20	00		
	31	Mrs. Smythe.....	15	00		
	31	Mrs. Griffith.....	10	00		
	31	Mrs. Christie.....	20	00		
	31	Orphans Bro. Booth.....	15	00		
	31	Mrs. Roblin.....	15	00		
	31	Daughter Bro. Steele.....	20	00		
	31	Mrs. Gibson.....	15	00		
	31	Mrs. Palmer.....	15	00		
	31	Mrs. Leister.....	20	00		
	31	Mrs. Bradley.....	10	00		
		To amount carried forward....	36,388	33	By amount carried forward.....	12,602 53

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

1883.	1883.	\$	cts.	\$	cts.
Jany. 31	To amount brought forward.....	6,388	33	By amount brought forward.....	12,602 53
31	Paid Mrs. Davey.....	20	00		
31	Mrs. Bethune.....	10	00		
31	Mrs. Howe.....	20	00		
31	Mrs. McLellan..	15	00		
31	Mrs. Pearley.....	15	00		
31	Mrs. Somerville.....	15	00		
31	Orphans Bro. Mowatt.....	20	00		
31	Mrs. Sutherland.....	20	00		
31	Board Relief, Peterboro'	25	00		
31	Bro. Faulds.....	20	00		
31	Mrs. McGhee.....	10	00		
31	Mrs. Small.....	20	00		
31	Mrs. O'Neill.....	15	00		
31	Mrs. Scott.....	20	00		
31	Mrs. Collver.....	10	00		
31	Mrs. Westcott.....	10	00		
31	Mrs. Harper.....	15	00		
31	Board Relief, Barrie.....	15	00		
31	Mrs. Adams.....	20	00		
31	Mrs. Goldsmith.....	20	00		
31	Mrs. Allen.....	10	00		
31	Bro. Gault.....	25	00		
31	Mrs. Reid.....	15	00		
31	Mrs. McIntyre..	10	00		
31	Mrs. Tilt.....	15	00		
31	Bro. Reinhardt.....	25	00		
	To amount carried forward.....	6,328	33	By amount carried forward.....	12,602 53

1883.

By amount brought forward.... 12,602 53

\$ cts.

1883.	To amount brought forward.....	\$ 6,823 33
Jan. 31	Paid Mrs. Kerr.....	10 00
31	Mrs. Hunter.....	15 00
Feb. 28	Mrs. Taylor.....	10 00
28	Mrs. Chichister.....	20 00
28	Mrs. Mitchell.....	20 00
28	Mrs. Neal.....	20 00
28	Mrs. Abbot.....	10 00
28	Mrs. Richards.....	15 00
28	Orphans Bro. Kennedy.....	20 00
28	Bro. Newbold.....	25 00
28	Mrs. Rubidge.....	20 00
28	Mrs. Ryder.....	15 00
28	Mrs. Collier.....	20 00
28	Mrs. Perie.....	10 00
28	Mrs. Allen.....	15 00
28	Bro. Hodginson.....	25 00
28	Board Relief, Strathroy.....	10 00
28	Mrs. Martin.....	20 00
28	Orphans Bro. Adams.....	20 00
28	Mrs. Little.....	10 00
28	Orphans Bro. Dickie.....	20 00
28	Board Relief, Toronto.....	200 00
28	Mrs. Power.....	20 00
28	Mrs. Garbatt.....	15 00
28	Mrs. Jolley.....	15 00
28	Mrs. Jackson.....	15 00

To amount carried forward..... \$7,488 33

By amount carried forward.... \$12,602 53

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

1883.		1888.		By amount brought forward.... 12,602 53	
				\$ cts.	
Feb. 28	To amount brought forward.....	7,488	83		
28	Pa d Mrs. Renwick.....	20	00		
28	Mrs. Cox.....	20	00		
28	Mrs. McKenzie.....	20	00		
28	Mrs. Adamson.....	15	00		
28	Mrs. Nixon.....	20	00		
28	Mrs. Kestevan.....	15	00		
28	Mrs. Fisher.. . . .	20	00		
28	Mrs. Briggs.....	15	00		
28	Mrs. Fursier.....	15	00		
28	Bro. Graves.....	25	00		
28	Mrs. Bracken.....	10	00		
28	Mrs. May.....	10	00		
28	Mrs. Denoid.... .	15	00		
28	Mrs. Robertson.....	10	00		
28	Mrs. Oliver.....	15	00		
28	Bro. Barclay.....	25	00		
28	Mrs. Sproule.....	20	00		
28	Bro. Tallon.....	20	00		
28	Mrs. Hilton.....	15	00		
28	Bro. Howell.. . . .	25	00		
28	Mrs. Benedict.....	20	00		
28	Mrs. Tandy.....	15	00		
28	Bro. Crook.....	20	00		
28	Mrs. Arnold.....	10	00		
28	Mrs. Bennett.....	20	00		

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

1883.		\$ cts.	1888.		\$ cts.
Feb. 28	To amount brought forward.....	7,888 33		By amount brought forward.....	12,602 58
28	Paid Mrs. Lindsay.....	20 00			
28	Mrs. Howells.....	20 00			
28	Bro. Blondheim.....	25 00			
28	Mrs. Lowery.....	20 00			
28	Wife of Bro. Gill.....	20 00			
28	Mrs. Tighe.....	20 00			
28	Mrs. Perrett.....	10 00			
28	Mrs. McKay.....	20 00			
28	Mrs. Skinner.....	15 00			
28	Mrs. Braund.....	20 00			
28	Mrs. McPhail.....	20 00			
28	Mrs. Hurst.....	15 00			
28	Bro. White.....	25 00			
28	Mrs. Robertson.....	10 00			
28	Mrs. Leclair.....	10 00			
28	Mrs. Hessel.....	15 00			
28	Mrs. McCallum.....	10 00			
28	Mrs. Mitchell.....	10 00			
28	Bro. Meyers.....	20 00			
28	Mrs. Russell.....	10 00			
28	Mrs. Rees.....	15 00			
28	Mrs. Hill.....	15 00			
28	Mrs. Goldsmith.....	15 00			
28	Mrs. Bryant.....	15 00			
28	Mrs. Ellis.....	15 00			
28	Mrs. McDowell.....	20 00			
	To amount carried forward.....	98,818 23		By amount carried forward.....	12,602 58

BENEVOLENT FUND.—Continued.

1883.		1883.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.
Feb. 28	To amount brought forward.....		8,318 33	By amount brought forward.... 12,602 53
28	Paid Mrs. Dean.....		10 00	
28	Mrs. Stoppleton.....		15 00	
28	Mrs. Snellgrove.....		10 00	
28	Mrs. Wright.....		15 00	
28	Mrs. M. Smith.....		10 00	
28	Mrs. Andrews.....		15 00	
28	Mrs. Leith.....		15 00	
28	Mrs. Pringle.....		15 00	
28	Mrs. Richardson.....		15 00	
28	Mrs. McDougall.....		10 00	
28	Board Relief, Kingston.....		30 00	
28	Mrs. Nicholson.....		10 00	
28	Mrs. Anderson.....		10 00	
28	Mrs. Wood.....		20 00	
28	Mrs. Dean.....		10 00	
28	Mrs. Smith.....		15 00	
28	Mrs. Aishton.....		15 00	
28	Mrs. Orr.....		10 00	
28	Mrs. Benedict.....		20 00	
28	Orphans Bro. Davey.....		15 00	
28	Orphans Bro. Munroe.....		15 00	
28	Mrs. Cheetham.....		15 00	
28	Mrs. Phipp.....		15 00	
28	Mrs. Gordon.....		20 00	
28	Mrs. Holmes.....		20 00	
28	Mrs. Horsey.....		15 00	
Feb. 31	To amount carried forward.....		96,708 88	By amount carried forward.... 12,602 53

1883.		\$	cts.
Mch. 31	To amount brought forward.....	8,703	83
31	Paid Mrs. Moore.....	20	00
31	Mrs. Rawlinson.....	15	00
31	Bro. Eli Hurd.....	6	50
31	Bro. Parkin.....	20	00
31	Mrs.' Harington.....	50	00
April 30	Mrs. Kelly.....	20	00
30	Mrs. McPherson.....	15	00
30	Mrs. Fidell.....	10	00
30	Mrs. Spickett.....	10	00
30	Mrs. Richardson.....	20	00
30	Mrs. Bryant.....	15	00
30	Mrs. Bryant.....	15	00
30	Mrs. Davey.....	15	00
30	Mrs. Neilson.....	20	00
30	Mrs. Anderson.....	10	00
30	Board Relief, Chatham.. ..	15	00
30	Mrs. Fiddell.... .	10	00
30	Mrs. Ferguson.....	10	00
30	Mrs. Hill.....	15	00
May 31	Mrs. Harvey.....	20	00
31	Mrs. Jones.....	15	00
31	Board Relief, London.....	15	00
31	Mrs. McComb.....	10	00
31	Orphans Bro. Beatty.....	15	00
31	Mrs. Laing.....	20	00
31	Mrs. Reid.....	15	00
	To amount carried forward.....	\$9,124	83
	By amount brought forward.....	12,602	53
		\$	ots.

GRAND LODGE OF CANADA.

\$12,602 53

Continued.

\$ cts.

12,602 53

By amount brought forward....

1883.

BENEVOLENT FUND.

\$ cts.

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\$12,602 53

To amount brought forward.....

Paid Mrs. McKenzie.....

Mrs. Campaigne.....

Mrs. Lowe.....

Mrs. Cameron.....

Mrs. Spence.....

Mrs. Smith.....

Mrs. Skinner.....

Mrs. Bowman.....

Mrs. Bowman.....

Mrs. Bowman.....

Balance as per sheet.....

1883.

May 31

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GENERAL ABSTRACT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS.

Dr.	From 1st June, 1882, to 31st May, 1883.	Cr.
<div> <div>RECEIPTS.</div> <div> Cash in Bank, 1st June, 1882..... \$ 9,789 27 Received by the Grand Secretary and paid over to the Grand Treasurer..... 18,044 90 <div>\$27,844 17</div> </div> </div>		<div>DISBURSEMENTS.</div> <div> General Purposes..... \$ 5,181 19 Benevolence..... 10,089 88 Testimonial to M. W. Bro. Moffat..... 253 50 Cash in Canadian Bank of Commerce, 31st May, 1883..... 12,319 65 <div>\$27,844 17</div> </div>

DR. The Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of Canada in account with E. MITCHELL, Grand Treasurer. CR.

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RETURN OF SUBORDINATE LODGES, AS AT 25TH JUNE, 1888.
 RETURNS OF OFFICERS ON FESTIVAL OF JOHN THE EVANGELIST, ALL OTHERS ON THAT OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST.
 NIGHT OF MEETING,

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son that of Mr. John the Baptist.

NO.	LODGE.	WHERE HELD.	NIGHT OF MEETING.	W. MASTER.	SECRETARY.
2	Niagara	Niagara	Wednesday on or before 1. moon, monthly	James Shepherd...	E. H. Thompson.
3	The An. St. John's	Kingsion	First Thursday	H. J. Saunders...	John Sutherland.
5	St. Sussex	Brockville	Wednesday on or before 1. moon	W. J. Simpson...	Geo. A. McMullen.
6	Barton	Hamilton	Second Wednesday	G. E. Mason...	Thos. Hoodless.
7	Union	Grimsby	Thursday on or before 1. moon	R. M. Griffith...	Chas. W. Kitchen.
9	Union	Napanee	Friday on or before 1. moon..	C. Z. Perry	J. G. Fennell.
10	Norfolk	Simcoe	Tuesday on or before 1. moon..	John Wilson	Jas. F. Wilson.
11	Moira	Belleville	Wednesday before 1. moon...	A. McGinnis	Chas. Lockart.
14	True Britons	Perth	First Monday	John Wilson	P. M. Sinclair.
15	St. George's	St. Catharines	Tuesday on or before 1. moon..	Chas. C. McDermott	Wm. B. Towers.
16	St. Andrew's	Toronto	Second Tuesday	J. L. Hughes	W. B. McMurrich.
17	St. John's	Cobourg	Monday on or before 1. moon...	Robt. Buck	Robt. Morrow.
18	Prince Edward	Picton	Thursday on or before 1. moon.	Geo. N. Rose	J. S. Baker.
20	St. John's	London	Second Tuesday	Joseph Hook	M. D. Dawson.
22	King Solomon's	Toronto	Second Thursday	Wilbur Grant	Alfred Ninister.
23	Richmond	Richmond Hill	Monday on or before 1. moon..	A. J. Rupert	H. A. Nichols.
24	St. Francis	Smith's Falls	Friday on or before 1. moon..	Geo. Brown	S. Moag.
25	Alonzo	Toronto	First Tuesday	Wm. Roaf	Villiers Sankey.
26	Ontario	Port Hope	Third Thursday	D. J. Goggin	W. B. Wallace.
27	Strict Observance	Hamilton	Third Tuesday	B. J. Morgan	E. W. Klotz.
28	Mount Zion	Kemptville	Wednesday before 1. moon...	Geo. Keating	W. H. Bottum.
29	United	Brighton	Thursday on or before 1. moon	Jas. Clouston	D. C. Bullock.
30	Composite	Whitby	First Thursday	W. R. Howes	Robt. Willis.
31	Jerusalem	Bowmanville	Wednesday on or before 1. moon	John Lyle	Wm. Wright.
32	Amity	Dunnville	Wednesday on or after 1. moon	T. Scholfield	W. H. Montague, MD

RETURNS OF SUBORDINATE LODGES, AS AT MEET JUNE, 1904.

NO.	LODGE.	WHERE HELD.	TIGHT OF MEETING.	W. MASTER.	SECRETARY.
33	aGoderich	Goderich	First Wednesday	A. McD. Allan	W. R. Miller.
34	aThistle	Amherstburg	Tuesday before 1. moon	Geo. Middleditch	John A. Auld.
35	St. John's	Cayuga	Thursday on or after 1. moon	John A. Hoshal	Thos. Bridger.
36	Welland	Fonthill	Thursday on or before 1. moon	J. O. Emmett	R. W. Page.
37	aKing Hiram	Ingersoll	Tuesday on or before 1. moon	Wm. Thompson	R. H. Bevell.
38	aTrent	Trenton	Tuesday before 1. moon	H. W. Day	Isaac Nelson.
39	aMount Zion	Brooklyn	Tuesday on or before 1. moon	W. H. Brown	Jas. May.
40	aSt. John's	Hamilton	Third Thursday	A. Doherty	C. W. W. Fielding.
41	aSt. George's	Kingsville	Thursday on or before 1. moon	E. Allworth	John S. Middelton.
42	aSt. George's	London	First Wednesday	T. H. Brunton	A. Ellis, Jr.
43	King Solomon's	Woodstock	Tuesday on or before 1. moon	A. J. McIntosh	Geo. Middleton.
44	aSt. Thomas	St. Thomas	First Thursday	Luke Slater	B. Stillson.
45	Brant	Brantford	Tuesday on or before 1. moon	E. Kester	Geo. Lindley.
46	aWellington	Chatham	First Monday	Fredk Bates	Jas Birch.
47	aGreat Western	Windsor	Thursday on or before 1. moon	W. F. Miller	B. V. Haller.
48	aMadoc	Madoc	Tuesday on or before 1. moon	J. S. Loomis, M. D.	W. T. White.
50	aConsecon	Consecon	Friday on or before 1. moon	T. H. Thornton	G. J. Waddell.
52	Dalhousie	Ottawa	First Tuesday	C. Campbell	G. B. Greene.
54	aVaughan	Maple	Tuesday on or before 1. moon	Abraham Carley	Nathaniel Shunk.
55	aMerrickville	Merrickville	Tuesday on or before 1. moon	C. H. Tate	A. McDonald.
56	Victoria	Sarnia	Tuesday on or before 1. moon	Jas. Woods	C. H. Cogan.
57	aHarmony	Binbrook	Monday after 1. moon	Rev. Geo. Orystad	Josh. Graham.
58	aDoric	Ottawa	First Wednesday	A. Smirle	Sam. Rothwell.
61	aAcacia	Hamilton	Fourth Friday	Alex. McKay	John Stewart.
62	aSt. Andrew's	Caledonia	Wednesday on or before 1. moon	Jas. Old, Jr.	W. J. Clark.
63	aSt. John's	Carleton Place	Wednesday on or before 1. moon	R. F. Preston, M.D.	A. P. McGregor.

64	a Kilwinning	London	Third Thursday	monthly	A. O. Jeffery	W. E. Browne
65	a Rehoboth	Toronto	First Thursday	"	Andrew Park	M. Gibbs
66	a Durham	Newcastle	Tuesday on or before f. moon	"	D. Allin	E. Simmona
68	a St. John's	Ingersoll	Thursday on or before f. moon	"	Jas. Badden	Wm. Ewart
69	a Stirling	Stirling	Thursday after f. moon	"	R. Finch	M. Seeley Jr.
72	a Alma	Galt	Thursday on or before f. moon	"	T. McDougall	Thos Patterson
73	a St. James	St. Marys	First Monday	"	A. Carman	D. S. Rupert
74	a St. James	Maitland	Monday in arrest f. moon	"	S. Martel Davies	C. B. Lemon
75	a St. John's	Toronto	First Monday	"	J. Moerschfelder	John L. Kerr
76	a Oxford	Woodstock	Second Wednesday	"	Wm. McKay	H. B. Sproat
77	a Faithful Brethren	Lindsay	First Friday	"	John McMillan	J. R. McNellie
78	a King Hiram	Tilsonburg	Wednesday on or before f. moon	"	Jas. McIntosh	John McDonald
79	a Simcoe	Bradford	Thursday after f. moon	"	O. Ellet	Wm. Strong
80	a Albion	Newbury	First Tuesday	"	W. F. Roome, M.D.	J. B. Kelly
81	a St. John's	Mt. Brydges	Tuesday on or before f. moon	"	Wm. Young	H. G. Lindsay
82	a St. John's	Paris	Tuesday on or before f. moon	"	J. W. Trenaman	Wm. R. Baker
83	a Beaver	Strathroy	Friday on or after f. moon	"	A. A. Cockburn	John Lentestey, Jr.
84	a Clinton	Clinton	Friday on or after f. moon	"	John McWhirter	T. L. Fortune
85	a Rising Sun	Farmersville	Thursday on or before f. moon	"	Wm. Johnston	Isaac C. Alquire
86	a Wilcox	Toronto	Third Tuesday	"	J. Raffan	Geo. Clark
87	a Markham Union	Markham	Friday on or before f. moon	"	G. R. Vanzant	R. A. Mason
88	a St. George's	Owen Sound	Wednesday on or before f. moon	"	R. McKnight	J. O. Crane
89	a King Hiram	Lindsay	Third Friday	"	J. W. Wallace	John H. McFaul
90	a Manito	Collingwood	Wednesday on or after f. moon	"	W. R. Anderson	Chris. Moore
91	a Colborne	Colborne	Friday on or before f. moon	"	W. H. Smith	Geo. Keyes
92	a Cataraqui	Kingston	Second Wednesday	"	Abt. Shaw	D. Callaghan
93	a Northern Light	Kincardine	First Wednesday	"	E. Miller	R. D. Hall
94	a St. Mark's	Port Stanley	Second Tuesday	"	H. Ellison	R. R. Gouldind
95	a Ridout	Otterville	Thursday on or before f. moon	"	Wm. Durkes	Wm. T. Kay
96	a Corinthian	Barrie	First Thursday	"	C. L. Sanders	E. H. Edwards
97	a Sharon	Sharon	Tuesday on or before f. moon	"	Alex. Borngasser	Wm. Dodds
98	a True Blue	Albion	Friday on or before f. moon	"	W. J. Dixon	S. J. Snell

RETURNS OF SUBORDINATE LODGES, AS AT 24TH JUNE, 1883.

NO.	LODGE.	WHERE HELD.	NIGHT OF MEETING.	W. MASTER.	SECRETARY.
99	Tuscan	Newmarket ...	Second Wednesday.....monthly.	R. Flood.....	J. E. Hughes.
100	Valley.....	Lundas	Monday on or before f. moon..	S. J. Lennard	J. S. Baillie.
101	aCorinthian	Peterborough ..	Wednesday on or before f. moon	R. E. Wood.....	E. E. Henderson.
103	aMaple Leaf.....	St. Catharines	Thursday on or after f. moon..	Moses Mann.....	F. Southcott
104	St. John's.....	Norwich	Wednesday on or after f. moon	A. H. S. Hill.....	S. B. McKay.
105	St. Mark's.....	Drummondville	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	G. Goldsborough ..	W. A. Kennedy.
106	aBurford	Burford	Wednesday on or before f. moon	T. D. Wilson.....	W. F. Miles.
107	St. Paul's.....	Lambeth	Wednesday on or before f. moon	J. Thornicroft	David Mann.
108	Blenheim	Drumbo	Wednesday on or before f. moon	Thos. Kennedy.....	J. F. Godwin.
109	aAlbion.....	Harrowsmith...	Friday on or before f. moon..	B. B. Shibley.....	Jas. Cooke.
110	aCentral.....	Prescott	First Tuesday.....	J. Carruthers.....	J. P. McCarthy.
112	Maitland	Goderich	Second Tuesday.....	F. F. Lawrence.....	Wm. Mitchell.
113	aWilson.....	Waterford	Wednesday on or before f. moon	J. E. York.....	W. Massecar.
114	aHope.....	Port Hope.....	First Thursday.....	J. Wright	J. Harmer.
115	aIvy	Beamsville.....	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	R. McCaskill.....	J. E. Bate.
116	aCassia.....	Thedford	Monday on or before f. moon..	Geo. Watt.....	Samuel Ryan.
118	Union.....	Schomberg	Monday on or before f. moon..	Thos Jennings....	W. J. Kreteton.
119	aMaple Leaf.....	Bath.....	Monday before f. moon.....	Max Robinson....	Chas. L. Rogers.
120	Warren.....	Fingal.....	First Tuesday.....	Chas. W. Glasgow.	Wm. A. Doyle.
121	aDoric	Brantford	Friday on or before f. moon..	Robt. Ashton	Jas. P. Excell.
122	aRenfrew	Renfrew	First Monday.....	Jas. Mann, M. D..	T. Henderson.
123	The Belleville	Belleville	First Thursday.....	J. P. Thompson..	Wm. McKeown.
125	aCornwall.....	Cornwall	First Tuesday.....	John Ridley.....	Geo. Milden.
126	aGolden Rule	Campanbellford..	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	R. H. Bonnycastle.	John Turner.
127	Frank.....	Frankfort	Monday before f. moon.....	G. E. R. Wilson..	D. J. Osterhout.
128	aPembroke	Pembroke	First Thursday.....	W. J. Douglas.....	Chas. Fraser.

133	aLebanon Forest..	Exeter	Monday on or before f. moon..	Geo. Willis.....	M. Eacrett.
135	aSt. Clair.....	Milton	Thursday on or before f. moon	Wm. H. Macnab..	E. Dixon.
136	Richardson	Stouffville	Wednesday on or before f. moon	W. H. Coulson	R. P. Coulson.
137	aPythagoras	Meaford	Friday nearest f. moon.....	Geo. Hair.....	Horatio West.
139	Lebanon.....	Oshawa	Second Tuesday.....	Robt. McCaw	Robt. Gott.
140	aMalahide.....	Aylmer	Wednesday on or before f. moon	S. S. Clutton.....	J. E. McDonald.
141	aTudor	Mitchell.....	Tuesday before f. moon.....	Geo. Hodge, M. D.	Wm White.
142	aExcelsior	Morrisburg.....	Thursday on or before f. moon	A. G. McDonald	W. A. Nash.
143	aFriendly Brothers	Iroquois.....	Wednesday before f. moon....	J. Stephenson, M.D.	John N. Tuttle.
144	aTecumseh	Stratford.....	First Thursday.....	Wm. Hurrell.....	A. E. Neil.
145	aJ. B. Hall.....	Millbrook	Second Thursday	John Hunter.....	J. C. Kells.
146	aPrince of Wales..	Newburgh	Wednesday before f. moon....	Jas. Mulholland	R. B. Hope.
147	aMississippi	Almonte.....	First Friday.....	John Elliot	J. M. Munro.
148	aCivil Service	Ottawa.....	Second Tuesday.....	Robt. Cassels.....	Joseph Potts.
149	aErie.....	Port Dover	Monday on or before f. moon..	W. F. Tibbetts....	R. Hillyer.
150	aHastings	Hastings.....	Thursday on or before f. moon	A. B. German.....	H. J. Walker.
151	The Grand River..	Berlin	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	D. B. Dewar.....	John C. Falls.
153	aBurns	Wyoming	Thursday on or before f. moon	A. N. Wood.....	Jas. Newell, M. D.
154	aIrving	Lucan.....	Thursday on or before f. moon	John Murdy	J. P. Atkinson.
155	aPeterborough	Peterborough...	First Friday.....	W. Paterson	Thos Munro.
156	aYork.....	Eglinton	Friday on or before f. moon..	S. T. Humberstone	C. C. Norris.
157	Simpson	Newboro'	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	R. H. Preston, M.D	E. J. Hopkins.
158	aAlexandra	Oil Springs	Thursday on or after f. moon..	W. B. French.....	W. Miller.
159	aGoodwood	Richmond	First Tuesday.....	John Satchell	W. V. Beaman.
161	aPercy	Warkworth	Wednesday before f. moon....	F. Bailly.....	D. Ewing.
162	Forest	Wroxeter	Monday on or before f. moon..	D. M. Walker....	W. B. Elliot.
164	aStar in the East..	Wellington.....	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	J. D. Wilson.....	A. G. McDonald.
165	aBurlington	Burlington	Wednesday on or before f. moon	Wm. Kearns.....	F. Bray.
166	aWentworth	Stoney Creek..	Monday on or before f. moon..	H. A. Combs.....	F. M. Carpenter.
168	aMerritt	Welland	Monday on or before f. moon..	S. J. Sidey.....	D. D. Hooker.

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NO.	LODGE.	WHERE HELD.	NIGHT OF MEETING.	W. MASTER.	SECRETARY.
169	aMacNab	Port Colborne.	Tuesday on or before f. moon.. monthly.	S. R. Cleveland.....	John O. McRae.
170	aBritannia.....	Seaforth.....	First Monday.....	W. G. Duff	D. D. Rose.
171	aPrince of Wales..	Iona	Friday on or after f. moon....	Neil Dewar	S. H. Weldon.
172	aAyr.....	Ayr	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	W. Willison.....	G. D. Lewis.
174	aWalsingham ..	Port Rowan ..	First Thursday.....	W. W. Rutherford.	Wm. Ross.
176	aSpartan.....	Sparta.....	Monday on or before f. moon..	F. A. Henderson..	E. O. Eakins.
177	The Builders.....	Ottawa	Second Friday.....	David Taylor	H. H. Cairns.
178	aPlattaville	Plattaville	Friday on or before f. moon..	Thos. Allshire.....	R. J. Bouchier.
179	aBothwell	Bothwell	Wednesday on or before f. moon	H. F. Smith.....	W. N. Johnson.
180	aSpeed	Guelph	First Tuesday.....	H. K. Maitland.....	S. R. Moffat.
181	aOriental.....	Port Burwell..	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	M. G. Burwell.....	A. E. Wallace.
183	aPrince Albert....	Port Perry.....	Friday on or before f. moon...	H. S. Campbell.....	Jas. Prince.
184	aOld Light.....	Lucknow	Thursday on or before f. moon	John Matheson.....	Geo. A. Siddall.
185	aEnniskillen	York.....	Monday on or before f. moon..	Wm. Clark	John Senn.
186	aPlantaganet.....	Plantaganet ..	Monday on or before f. moon..	C. E. Johnson.....	N. G. Ross.
189	aFilius Viduæ....	Adolphustown.	Wednesday on or before f. moon	C. R. Allison.....	W. H. Ingersoll.
190	aBelmont.....	Belmont.....	Friday on or before f. moon..	Joseph Potts.....	John Boyd.
192	aOrillia.....	Orillia	Friday on or after f. moon....	Wm. Ironside.....	A. Hector
198	aScotland	Scotland.....	Monday on or before f. moon..	L. A. Winegarden...	M. Maloolm.
194	aPetrolia	Petrolia	Second Wednesday.....	Wm. E. Reynolds..	J. E. Durham.
195	aThe Tuscan.....	London	First Friday.....	A. W. Porte.....	R. B. Hungerford.
196	aMadawaska.....	Arnprior.....	Thursday on before f. moon..	J. G. Cranston....	W. W. Stirling.
197	aSaugeen.....	Walkerton....	Second Tuesday	W. A. Green.....	O. Dempsey.
200	St. Alban's.....	Mount Forest..	Friday on or before f. moon..	M. O. Macgregor...	J. N. Ormange.
201	aLeeds.....	Gananoque....	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	Jas. B. Watt.....	Jas. Hayward.
208	aIrvine.....	Elora	Friday before f. moon.....	T. P. Smith.....	A. Spalding.

	New Dominion ..	New Hamburg	Monday on or after f. moon...monthly.	Otto Pressprick...	Alex. Fraser,
206	aLancaster	Lancaster	Saturday on or before f. moon	John P. Snyder...	J. D. Houston.
207	aSt. John's	London	Second Thursday	W. J. Johnston	John Siddons.
208	Evergreen	Lanark	First Tuesday	J. H. Bothwell	Wm. A. Field.
209	aHawkesbury	Hawkesbury ..	Wednesday on or before f. moon	R. McFarlane	James Ryan.
210	aElysian	Garden Island	First Monday	John Agnew	A. Malone.
211	aDominion	Ridgeway	Wednesday on or before f. moon	W. L. Allen	C. H. Mathews.
212	aCraig	Ailsa Craig	Monday on or after f. moon..	John Wells	W. M. Shoenbottom
213	Lake	Ameliasburg ..	Monday on or before f. moon..	J. G. Johnston	I. Coleman.
214	aHarris	Orangeville ..	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	W. H. Robinson ..	W. A. McLim.
215	aFrederick	Delhi	Monday on or before f. moon..	J. L. Brown	H. C. Hilliker.
216	aStevenson	Toronto	Second Monday	Geo. H. Lauder ..	W. H. Woodstock.
217	aCredit	Georgetown ..	Friday on or before f. moon...	Jas. Newton	T. J. Wheeler.
218	aZeradatha	Uxbridge	Monday on or before f. moon..	D. Campbell	R. J. Butler.
219	aMountain	Phorold	Wednesday on or before f. moon	E. Culverhouse ..	Wm F. Fish.
220	aMarmora	Marmora	Tuesday before f. moon	Thos. Warren	D. Fletcher.
221	aNorwood	Norwood	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	W. H. Stephenson.	Thos Burke.
222	aZurich	Hensall	Saturday on or before f. moon	C. Benedict	M. Zeller.
223	aBernard	Listowel	Wednesday on or before f. moon	T. G. Fennell	W. J. Ferguson.
224	aPrince Arthur ..	Odesa	Monday after f. moon	T. W. Beeman, M.D	John A. McKay.
225	aIonic	Brampton	Wednesday on or before f. moon	Adam Morton	Jas Anderson.
226	Kerr	Barrie	Fourth Monday	C. W. Brown	C. Forbes.
227	Lodge of Fidelity.	Ottawa	Second Wednesday	J. A. Campbell	E. J. Darby.
228	aCameron	Wallacetown ..	Wednesday on or before f. moon	G. W. Ling	H. Gross.
229	aDoris	Park Hill	Tuesday on or before f. moon	Thos. Magladery ..	D. N. McLeod.
230	aBeaver	Clarksburg	Tuesday on or before f. moon	J. H. Dickinson ..	C. W. Hartman.
231	Aldworth	Paisley	Friday on or before f. moon..	Wm. Portis	F. Sinclair.
232	aManitoba	Bondhead	Tuesday on or after f. moon..	W. H. Bingham ..	W. O. Law.
233	Vienna	Vienna	Friday before f. moon	John H. Teall	John Dean.
234	Havelock	Watford	Tuesday before f. moon	S. Howden	A. Jamieson.
235	Tweed	Tweed	Friday on or before f. moon..	F. Laurence	A. M. Vandusen.
236	aQuinte	Shannonville..	Tuesday on or after f. moon..	P. Williams	John Kemp.

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242	aMacoy	Escott Front..	Monday on or before f. moon.. monthly.	R. Fields	Wm. Bruce.
243	aSt. George	St. George.....	Thursday on or before f. moon	E. E. Kitchen, M.D	R. G. Lawrason.
245	Tecumseh	Thamesville ..	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	John Davidson....	R. Ward.
247	aAshlar	Yorkville	Fourth Tuesday.....	S. Percy	W. H. Best.
248	Eureka	Pakenham.....	Wednesday after f. moon....	A. Church.....	J. A. Scott.
249	aCaledonian	Midland	Tuesday on or after f. moon..	N. F. Switzer	J. Pengelly.
250	Thistle	Embro	Thursday on or before f. moon	C. Kitmer	H. C. Ross.
253	aMinden.....	Kingston	First Monday.....	W. D. Gordon	D. A. Givins.
254	Clifton	Clifton	Thursday on or before f. moon	John Murray.....	L. Sewell.
255	Sydenham.....	Dresden	Wednesday on or after f. moon	R. M. Stuart.....	O. McKean.
256	aFarran's Point ..	Farran's Point.	First Wednesday.....	E. C. Robertson..	J. C. Farran jr.
257	aGalt	Galt.....	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	J. Brogden.....	W. H. Broughton.
258	Guelph	Guelph	Second Tuesday.....	J. A. Angell.....	C. Bunting.
259	Springfield.....	Springfield....	Monday on or before f. moon..	L. Brush	J. B. Lucas.
260	aWashington	Petrolia	First Tuesday.....	H. G. W. Kittridge	Jas. Peat.
261	aOak Branch.....	Innerkip.....	Thursday on or before f. moon	Thos. Peat.....	F. Mitchell.
262	aHarriston.....	Harriston	Monday on or after f. moon....	A. J. Stewart	Alex. Yule.
263	aForest	Forest.....	Wednesday on or before f. moon	W. D. Griggs.....	E. Clarke.
264	aChaudiere	Ottawa	First Monday.....	Levi Booth.....	W. A. Jamieson.
265	Patterson	Thornhill	Thursday on or before f. moon	John C. Steele.....	J. T. B. Lindsay.
266	aNorthern Light..	Stayner	Tuesday before f. moon.....	W. Watson	A. T. Briggs.
267	aParthenon	Chatham	First Wednesday	N. J. Bogart	A. R. Coltart.
268	aVerulam	Bobcaygeon...	Last Friday.	John Aitken.....	C. E. Stewart.
269	aBrougham Union	Brougham	Wednesday on or after f. moon	John Palmer.....	R. Stokes.
270	aCedar	Oshawa	Fourth Tuesday.....	A. Mackie.....	A. L. Rundle.
271	Wellington.....	Erin	Wednesday on or before f. moon	B. Dilts	John D. Leitch.



272	Seymour	.....	Ancaster	.....	Wednesday on or before f. moon,	monthly	R. S. Stevenson	.....	J. Richards
274	a Kent	.....	Blenheim	.....	Monday on or before f. moon..	"	Nathan Flater	.....	C. L. VonGuteni.
276	Teeswater	.....	Teeswater	.....	Friday on or before f. moon..	"	H. B. O'Connor	.....	B. S. S. Hadley.
277	a Seymour	.....	Pt. Dalhousie	.....	Wednesday on or before f. moon	"	C. Rose	.....	John Green.
278	Mystic	.....	Roalin	.....	Thursday before f. moon.....	"	A. McMullen	.....	W. E. Gillespie.
279	New Hope	.....	Hespeler	.....	Wednesday on or before f. moon	"	Jas. Hamer	.....	E. Bolduc.
280	Mount Sinai	.....	Napanee	.....	First Thursday	"	A. H. Allison	.....	A. L. Morden.
281	a Thorne	.....	Hol'd Landing	.....	First Tuesday	"	D. L. Ellerby	.....	O. Floyd.
282	Lorne	.....	Glencoe	.....	Thursday on or before f. moon	"	W. G. Lumley	.....	G. W. Harrison.
283	a Eureka	.....	Belleville	.....	Wednesday after f. moon.....	"	P. H. Hamblly	.....	W. Webster.
284	a St. John's	.....	Brussels	.....	Tuesday on or before f. moon	"	J. M. McIntosh	.....	John Shaw.
285	Seven Star	.....	Alliston	.....	Wednesday on or before f. moon	"	J. Strachan	.....	Geo. Kearns.
286	a Wingham	.....	Wingham	.....	Tuesday before f. moon.....	"	Wm. Elliott	.....	W. E. Groves.
287	a Shuniah	.....	P. Arthur's L.	.....	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	"	W. C. Dobie	.....	W. S. Beaver.
289	a Dorio	.....	Lobo	.....	Thursday on or before f. moon	"	A. McGugan	.....	T. R. Powell.
290	a Leamington	.....	Leamington	.....	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	"	W. C. Coulson	.....	B. Lane.
291	a Dufferin	.....	W. Flamboro	.....	Thursday on or before f. moon	"	A. Cochran	.....	W. J. Stutt.
292	a Robertson	.....	Nobleton	.....	Wednesday on or before f. moon	"	E. Y. Godfrey	.....	J. Robinson.
293	a Royal Hol Mother	.....	Jerusalem, Pal.	.....	First Wednesday	"	S. Bergeim	.....	Wm. Else.
294	a Moore	.....	Mooretown	.....	Thursday on or before f. moon	"	Rev. D. Armstrong	.....	G. B. Johnston.
295	a Conestogo	.....	Drayton	.....	Tuesday on or after f. moon..	"	S. R. Dales	.....	John R. Fitzgerald.
296	a Temple	.....	St. Catharines	.....	Last Wednesday	"	L. R. Smith	.....	D. C. Hetherington
297	Preston	.....	Preston	.....	Friday on or before f. moon..	"	Otto J. Klotz	.....	H. Von Ende, jr.
299	Victoria	.....	Centreville	.....	Thursday on or before f. moon	"	H. A. Baker	.....	J. E. Mabee.
300	a Mount Olivet	.....	Thorndale	.....	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	"	S. S. Murray	.....	R. Smith.
301	a Hanover	.....	Hanover	.....	Monday on or before f. moon..	"	C. Coutts	.....	J. J. James.
302	St. David's	.....	St. Thomas	.....	Monday on or after f. moon ..	"	A. Hess	.....	W. G. Morgan.
303	a Blyth	.....	Blyth	.....	Tuesday on or after f. moon..	"	W. L. Onimette	.....	C. E. Tanner.
304	a Minerva	.....	Craigvale	.....	Tuesday on or after f. moon..	"	S. J. Reid	.....	Jas. Black.
305	a Humber	.....	Weston	.....	Wednesday on or before f. moon	"	John Linton	.....	J. H. Conway.
306	Durham	Durham	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	"	H. W. Mockler	Geo. Russell.
307	a Arkona	Arkona	Thursday on or before f. moon	"	W. J. George	Nelson George.

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308	a Grafton...	Grafton	Tuesday on or before f. moon.. monthly.	T. N. Webster....	Wm. Lawless.
309	a Morning Star.....	Smith's Hill..	Wednesday on or before f. moon	John Morgan.....	John Wilson.
311	a Blackwood	Woodbridge ..	Friday on or before f. moon..	G. Gilmour	P. D. McLean.
312	a Pnyx	Wallaceburg ..	Monday on or before f. moon..	S. C. Davis	C. Chubb.
313	a Clementi	Lakefield ..	First Tuesday.....	D. Fraser, M. D..	S. Sheldrake.
314	a Blair.....	Palmerston ..	Friday after f. moon.....	T. H. Bennetto....	G. A. Davidson.
315	a Clifford	Clifford	Third Monday.....	B. Crandell	J. D. Allan.
316	a Doric	Toronto	Third Wednesday.....	C. Pearson.....	S. Adlard.
318	a Wilmot	Baden	Friday on or after f. moon....	P. Erbach.....	H. Leirsch.
319	a Hiram.....	Cheapside	Wednesday on or before f. moon	Geo. Sherk.....	A. Godwin.
320	a Chesterville	Chesterville ..	Monday on or before f. moon..	H. W. Moad.....	E. K. Ker.
321	a Walker	Aoton West ..	Monday on or before f. moon..	W. H. Lowry, M.D	Geo. Hynds.
322	a North Star.....	Owen Sound.	Wednesday after f. moon....	W. J. Paterson....	John Miller.
323	a Alvinston.....	Alvinston	Tuesday on or after f. moon..	Thos. Cahill.....	R. Code.
324	a Temple	Hamilton	Fourth Monday.....	C. W. Mulligan ..	C. Bartlett.
325	a Orono	Orono	Thursday on or before f. moon	Wm. Thompson ..	G. Andrus.
326	a Zetland.....	Toronto	Fourth Friday	Wm. McDonald ..	J. A. Carlaw.
327	The Hammond. .	Wardsville....	Third Tuesday	F. Aitcheson.....	A. Beamer.
328	a Ionic.....	Napier	Friday before f. moon.....	A. Arthur	H. Thompson.
329	a King Solomon....	Jarvis	Friday on or before f. moon..	J. D. Crichton....	D. Hill.
330	a Corinthian	London East..	First Tuesday	Robt. Bonney	H. E. Simpson.
331	a Fordwich	Fordwich ..	Thursday on or before f. moon	J. J. Sweetman..	Jas. Foster.
332	a Stratford.....	Stratford ..	Second Monday.....	A. Hamilton.....	C. E. Irwine.
333	a Prince Arthur....	Flesherton....	Friday on or after f. moon....	M. Richardson....	R. J. Sproule.
334	a Prince Arthur....	Arthur	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	J. W. Fraser	Thos. J. Phillips.
335	a Langton	Langton	Monday on or before f. moon..	John Campbell....	O. D. D'Witt

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WHERE HELD.	NIGHT OF MEETING.	W. MASTER
Lambton	Tuesday before f. moon monthly.	H. T. Ide
Delta	Wednesday on or after f. moon	O. Brown
Ottawa	Second Thursday	C. S. Macfarlane
Victoria	Tuesday on or after f. moon	Alf. Hurrell
Welland	First Thursday	R. H. Dyer
Keene	First Thursday	R. P.
Memee	First Thursday	

895	Parvaim...	Comber	Thursday on or before f. moon,	monthly.	R. H. Abbott.....	W. A. McIntosh.
396	a Cedar	Warton	Tuesday on or before f. moon..	"	Jas. Inksetter	Alex. Kerr.
397	a Leopold	Brigden	Tuesday on or after f. moon..	"	F. R. Segar	J. E. Demare.
398	Victoria	Victoria Road.	Second Tuesday.....	"	W. R. Cavana	F. G. Millar.
399	a Moffat	Harrietsville ..	Tuesday on or after f. moon..	"	J. J. Jelly	R. Thomas.
400	Oakville	Oakville	Tuesday on or before f. moon	"	John Kaitting	C. W. Pearce.
401	Craig	Deseronto	First Tuesday.....	"	Robt. J. Craig.....	Geo. Brown.
402	Central	Essex Centre..	Wednesday on or before f. moon	"	Wm L. Burdick.	
U. D	Lorne	Tamworth	Friday on or before f. moon..	"	John S. Miller...	
U. D	Windsor	Windsor	Second Wednesday	"	J. E D'Aignon...	

LIST OF LODGES—BY DISTRICTS.

NO. 1—ST. CLAIR DISTRICT. (80.)

Counties of Essex, Kent, Lambton and Bothwell.

D. D. G. M.—R. W. Bro. A. Jamieson, Watford.

No.	84, Thistle, Amherstburg	Essex	County.
"	41, St. George's, Kingsville.....	"	"
"	47, Great Western, Windsor.....	"	"
"	290, Leamington, Leamington.....	"	"
"	895, Parvaim, Comber.....	"	"
"	402, Central, Essex Centre	"	"
"	U. D. Windsor, Windsor	"	"
"	46, Wellington, Chatham	Kent	County.
"	245, Tecumseh, Thamesville	"	"
"	255, Sydenham, Dresden	"	"
"	267, Parthenon, Chatham	"	"
"	274, Kent, Blenheim.....	"	"
"	312, Pnyx, Wallaceburg	"	"
"	386, Highgate, Highgate	"	"
"	56, Victoria, Sarnia.....	Lambton	County.
"	116, Cassia, Thedford	"	"
"	153, Burns, Wyoming	"	"
"	158, Alexandra, Oil Springs.....	"	"
"	194, Petrolia, Petrolia	"	"
"	288, Havelock, Watford	"	"
"	260, Washington, Petrolia	"	"
"	268, Forest, Forest	"	"
"	294, Moore, Mooretown.....	"	"
"	307, Arkona, Arkona.....	"	"
"	823, Alvinston, Alvinston.....	"	"
"	890, Florence, Florence	"	"
"	892, Huron, Camlachie.....	"	"
"	897, Leopold, Brigden	"	"
"	179, Bothwell, Bothwell	Bothwell	County.
"	891, Howard, Ridgetown	"	"

NO. 2—LONDON DISTRICT. (40.)

Counties of Middlesex and Elgin, except the Township of Bayham.

D. D. G. M.—R. W. Bro. H. G. Lindsay, Mt. Brydges.

No.	20, St. John's, London	Middlesex County.
"	42, St. George's, London	" "
"	64, Kilwinning, London	" "
"	81, St. John's, Mount Brydges	" "
"	88, Beaver, Strathroy	" "
"	90, Albion, Newbury	" "
"	107, St. Paul's, Lambeth.....	" "
"	154, Irving, Lucan	" "
"	190, Belmont, Belmont.....	" "
"	195, Tuscan, London.....	" "
"	209a, St. John's, London.....	" "
"	214, Craig, Ailsa Craig.....	" "
"	238, Doric, Park Hill.....	" "
"	282, Lorne, Glencoe	" "
"	289, Doric, Lobo	" "
"	300, Mount Olivet, Thorndale	" "
"	327, The Hammond, Wardsville.....	" "
"	328, Ionic, Napier	" "
"	380, Corinthian, London East.....	" "
"	344, Merrill, Dorchester Station	" "
"	345, Nilestown, Nilestown.....	" "
"	358, Delaware Valley, Delaware.....	" "
"	364, Dufferin, Melbourne.....	" "
"	366, Euclid, Strathroy.....	" "
"	378, King Solomon's, Petersville.....	" "
"	379, Middlesex, Bryanston	" "
"	380, Union, London	" "
"	388, Henderson, Ilderton	" "
"	399, Moffat, Harrietsville	" "
"	44, St. Thomas, St. Thomas	Elgin County.
"	94, St. Mark's, Port Stanley	" "

" 849, Elgin, St. 7
" 886, McColl, We

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Counties of Norfolk
ham in Elgin.

D. D. G. M.—R.

No. 10, Norfolk, Simc
" 118, Wilson, Wat
" 149, Erie, Port D
" 174, Walsingham,
" 217, Frederick, Dell
" 385, Langton, Lang
" 359, Vittoria, Vitto
" 87, King Hiram, L
" 43, King Solomon,
" 68, St. John's, Inge
" 76, Oxford, Woods
" 78, King Hiram, Ti
" 95, Ridout, Ottervill
" 104, St. John's, Norv
" 108, Blenheim, Drumm

No.	106, Burford, Burford	Brant County.
"	122, Doric, Brantford	" "
"	193, Scotland, Scotland	" "
"	243, St. George, St. George	" "
"	181, Oriental, Port Burwell	Elgin County.
"	287, Vienna, Vienna	" "

NO. 4—HURON DISTRICT. (28.)

Counties of Huron, Perth and Bruce.

D. D. G. M.—R. W. Bro. R. Radcliffe, Goderich.

No.	83, Maitland, Goderich	Huron County.
"	84, Clinton, Clinton	" "
"	133, Lebanon Forest, Exeter	" "
"	162, Forest, Wroxeter	" "
"	170, Britannia, Seaforth	" "
"	224, Zurich, Zurich	" "
"	284, St. John's, Brussels	" "
"	286, Wingham, Wingham	" "
"	303, Blyth, Blyth	" "
"	309, Morning Star, Smith's Hills ...	" "
"	331, Fordwich, Fordwich	" "
"	73, St. James, St. Mary's	Perth County.
"	141, Tudor, Mitchell	" "
"	144, Tecumseh, Stratford	" "
"	225, Bernard, Listowel	" "
"	332, Stratford, Stratford	" "
"	93, Northern Light, Kincardine	Bruce County.
"	131, St. Lawrence, Southampton ...	" "
"	184, Old Light, Lucknow	" "
"	197, Saugeen, Walkerton	" "
"	235, Aldworth, Paisley	" "
"	276, Teeswater, Teeswater	" "
"	301, Hanover, Hanover	" "
"	341, Bruce, Tiverton	" "
"	350, Port Elgin, Port Elgin	" "
"	362, Maple Leaf, Tara	" "
"	393, Forest, Chesley	" "
"	396, Cedar, Wiarton	" "

- 205, New Dominion,
- " 257, Galt, Galt.....
- " 279, New Hope, Hesp
- " 297, Preston, Preston
- " 818, Wilmot, Baden ...
- " 180, Speed, Guelph....
- " 200, St. Alban's Moun
- " 208, Irvine, Elora
- " 216, Harris, Orangevill
- " 258, Guelph, Guelph....
- " 262, Harriston, Harristo
- " 271, Wellington, Erin...
- " 295, Conestogo, Drayton
- " 814, Blair, Palmerston...
- " 815, Clifford, Clifford.....
- " 884, Prince Arthur, Arth
- " 847, Mercer, Fergus.....
- " 861, Waverley, Guelph...

NO. 6—HAMILTON

Counties of Wentworth and
Caledonia in the County of Hal

D. D. G. M. —

100, Valley, Dundas.....	Wentworth County
" 166, Wentworth, Stoney Creek.....	" "
272, Seymour, Ancaster.....	" "
" 291, Dufferin, West Flamboro'.....	" "
" 324, Temple, Hamilton.....	" "
" 357, Waterdown, Waterdown	" "
" 382, Doric, Hamilton.....	" "
" 135, St. Clair, Milton.....	Halton County.
" 166, Burlington, Burlington.....	" "
" 219, Credit, Georgetown.....	" "
" 321, Walker, Acton West.....	" "
" 400, Oakville, Oakville	" "
" 62, St. Andrew's, Caledonia	Haldimand County

NO. 7—NIAGARA DISTRICT. (23.)

Counties of Lincoln, Haldimand and Welland, except the Village of Caledonia, in the County of Haldimand.

D. D. G. M.—R. W. Bro. Wm. Gibson, Beamsville.

No. 2, Niagara, Niagara.....	Lincoln County.
" 7, Union, Grimsby.....	" "
" 15, St. George's, St. Catharines.....	" "
" 108, Maple Leaf, St. Catharines.....	" "
" 215, Ivy, Beamsville	" "
" 277, Seymour, Port Dalhousie.....	" "
" 296, Temple, St. Catharines.....	" "
" 338, Dufferin, Welland Port.....	" "
" 32, Amity, Dunnville.....	Haldimand County
" 35, St. John's Cayuga.....	" "
" 185, Enniskillen, York	" "
" 319, Hiram, Cheapside.....	" "
" 329, King Solomon, Jarvis	" "
" 36, Welland, Fonthill	Welland County.
" 105, St. Mark's, Drummondville	" "
" 168, Merritt, Welland.....	" "
" 169, Macnab, Port Colborne.....	" "

No. 213, Dominion, Ridgeway.....	Welland County.
“ 221, Mountain, Thorold.....	“ “
“ 254, Clifton, Clifton	“ “
“ 337, Myrtle, Port Robinson	“ “
“ 372, Palmer, Victoria.....	“ “
“ 373, Copestone, Welland.....	“ “

NO. 8—TORONTO DISTRICT. (33.)

Counties of York and Peel, and the Township of Uxbridge,
in Ontario County.

D. D. G. M.—R. W. Bro. J. G. Burns, Toronto.

No. 16, St. Andrew's Toronto..	York County.
“ 22, King Solomon's, Toronto.....	“ “
“ 23, Richmond, Richmond Hill.....	“ “
“ 25, Ionic, Toronto.....	“ “
“ 54, Vaughan, Maple,.....	“ “
“ 65, Rehoboam, Toronto.....	“ “
“ 75, St. John's, Toronto	“ “
“ 86, Wilson, Toronto.....	“ “
“ 87, Markham Union, Markham.....	“ “
“ 97, Sharon, Sharon.....	“ “
“ 99, Tuscan, Newmarket.....	“ “
“ 118, Union, Schomberg.....	“ “
“ 129, The Rising Sun, Aurora.....	“ “
“ 136, Richardson, Stouffville.....	“ “
“ 156, York, Eglinton.....	“ “
“ 218, Stevenson, Toronto.....	“ “
“ 247, Ashlar, Yorkville.....	“ “
“ 265, Patterson, Thornhill.....	“ “
“ 281, Thorne, Holland Landing.....	“ “
“ 292, Robertson, Nobleton	“ “
“ 305, Humber, Weston.....	“ “
“ 311, Blackwood, Woodbridge.....	“ “
“ 316, Doric, Toronto.....	“ “
“ 326, Zetland, Toronto	“ “

No. 339, Orient, Don Mount.....	York County.
“ 343, Georgina, Sutton.....	“ “
“ 345, Occident, Toronto	“ “
“ 367, St. George, Toronto.....	“ “
“ 369, Mimico, Islington.....	“ “
“ 384, Alpha, Parkdale.....	“ “
“ 329, Ionic, Brampton	Peel County.
“ 356, River Park, Streetsville	“ “
“ 220, Zeredatha, Uxbridge.....	Ontario County.

NO. 9—GEORGIAN DISTRICT.

Counties of Simcoe, Grey and Cardwell, and the Algoma, Muskoka and Parry Sound Districts.

D. D. G. M.—R. W. Bro. John Creasor, Owen Sound.

No. 79, Simcoe, Bradford.....	Simcoe County.
“ 90, Manito, Collingwood.....	“ “
“ 96, Corinthian, Barrie.....	“ “
“ 192, Orillia, Orillia.....	“ “
“ 230, Kerr, Barrie.....	“ “
“ 236, Manitoba, Bond Head.....	“ “
“ 249, Caledonian, Angus.....	“ “
“ 266, Northern Light, Stayner.....	“ “
“ 285, Seven Star, Alliston	“ “
“ 304, Minerva, Craigvale.....	“ “
“ 348, Georgian, Penetanguishene	“ “
“ 385, Spry, Beeton.....	“ “
“ 88, St. George's, Owen Sound.....	Grey County.
“ 137, Pythagoras, Meaford.....	“ “
“ 234, Beaver, Clarksburg.....	“ “
“ 306, Durham, Durham.....	“ “
“ 322, North Star, Owen Sound	“ “
“ 338, Prince Arthur, Flesherton.....	“ “
“ 377, Lorne, Shelburne.....	“ “
“ 98, True Blue, Albion.....	Cardwell County.
“ 287, Shuniab, Prince Arthur's Land'g	Algoma District.

- D. D. G. M.—F
- No. 17, St. John's,
" 29, United, Brig
" 91, Colborne, Co
" 126, Golden Rule,
" 161, Percy, Warkv
" 308, Grafton, Gra
" 353, Excelsior, Col
" 365, North Star, I
" 26, Ontario, Port
" 114, Hope, Port Hc
" 155, J. B. Hall, Mil
" 325, Orono, Orono
" 80, Composite Whi
" 39, Mount Zion, B
" 189, Lebanon, Osha
" 183, Prince Albert, J
" 269, Brougham Unio
" 270, Cedar, Oshawa..
" 354, Brock, Canningt
" 77, Faithful Brethre
" 89. King Hiram

No. 155, Peterboro', Peterboro'.....Peterboro' County.

“ 228, Norwood, Norwood “ “

“ 818, Clementi, Lakefield..... “ “

NO. 11—PRINCE EDWARD DISTRICT. (24.)

Counties of Lennox, Hastings, Prince Edward and Addington.

D. D. G. M.—R. W. Bro. A. McGinnis, Belleville.

No. 9, Union, NapaneeLennox County.

“ 189, Filius Viduæ, Adolphustown... “ “

“ 280, Mount Sinai, Napanee..... “ “

“ 11, Moira, BellevilleHastings County.

“ 88, Trent, Trenton..... “ “

“ 48, Madoc, Madoc... “ “

“ 69, Stirling, Stirling “ “

“ 123, The Belleville, Belleville..... “ “

“ 127, Franck, Frankfort “ “

“ 222, Marmora, Marmora..... “ “

“ 289, Tweed, Tweed “ “

“ 241, Quinte, Shannonville “ “

“ 278, Mystic, Roslin “ “

“ 284, Eureka, Belleville “ “

“ 401, Craig, Deseronto “ “

“ 18, Prince Edward, PictonPrince Edward Co.

“ 50, Consecon, Consecon..... “ “

“ 164, Star in the East, Wellington... “ “

“ 215, Lake, Ameliasburg “ “

“ 119, Maple Leaf, BathAddington County.

“ 146, Prince of Wales, Newburg..... “ “

“ 228, Prince Arthur, Odessa..... “ “

“ 299, Victoria, Centreville “ “

“ U. D., Lorne, Tamworth..... “ “

- 32, Cataraqui, Kingston
" 109, Albion, Harrow
" 212, Elysian, Gardenvale
" 258, Minden, Kingston
" 340, St. John's, Pittsford
" 342, Hiram, Wolfe Island
" 363, Frontenac, Cataraqui
" 5, Sussex, Brockville
" 85, Rising Sun, Fairbairn
" 157, Simpson, Newburgh
" 201, Leeds, Gananoque
" 242, Macoy, Escott Falls
" 368, Salem, Brockville
" 370, Harmony, Delta
" 387, Lansdown, Lansdowne
" 29, Mount Zion, Kenilworth
" 55, Merrickville, Merrickville
" 74, St. James, Maitland
" 110, Central, Prescott
" 389, Crystal Fountain, Newburgh
" 125, Cornwall, Cornwall
" 256, Farran's Point, Farran's Point
" 142, Excelsior, Morrisburg
" 143, Friendly, Morrisburg

NO. 13—OTTAWA DISTRICT. (20.)

Counties of Lanark, Carleton, Renfrew, Prescott and Russell.

D. D. G. M.—R. W. Bro. Wm. Rea, Ottawa.

No.	14, True Britons, Perth	Lanark County.
"	24, St. Francis, Smith's Falls.....	" "
"	63, St. John's, Carleton Place.....	" "
"	147, Mississippi, Almonte.....	" "
"	209, Evergreen, Lanark	" "
"	248, Eureka, Pakenham.....	" "
"	255, Clandeboye, Perth.....	" "
"	52, Dalhousie, Ottawa.....	Carleton County.
"	58, Doric, Ottawa.....	" "
"	148, Civil Service, Ottawa.....	" "
"	159, Goodwood, Richmond	" "
"	179, The Builders, Ottawa.....	" "
"	231, Lodge of Fidelity, Ottawa.....	" "
"	264, Chaudiere, Ottawa.....	" "
"	371, Prince of Wales, Ottawa	" "
"	122, Renfrew, Renfrew	Renfrew County.
"	128, Pembroke, Pembroke.....	" "
"	196, Madawaska, Arnprior.....	" "
"	186, Plantagenet, Plantagenet.....	Prescott County.
"	210, Hawkesbury, Hawkesbury.....	" "

NOT ATTACHED TO ANY DISTRICT.

No. 293, Royal Solomon Mother, Jerusalem, Palestine.

RECAPITULATION.

No.	1, St. Clair District.....	80 Lodges.
"	2, London "	40 "
"	3, Wilson "	27 "
"	4, Huron "	28 "
"	5, Wellington "	21 "
"	6, Hamilton "	18 "

Unattached

Total.....

SUSPENSION

No. of
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108 E. J. Leavenwo
176 John L. Oill.
224 John J. Fraiser.
261 Thomas Walsh.

SUSPENSIONS F

No. of
Lodge,

2 S. J. J. Brown, F
3 D. Dunningham,
Moore, J. E. F
6 Wm. Brown, W.
son, J. Z. Tur
H. Walker.
7 H. McKechnie.
10 John Wilson, D.
house, E. Poole
11 Wm. Donnelly, W.

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38
- W. D. Powell.
- W. Rolph.
- T. W. Barnes, Thos. Adams, Wm. B. Jones.
- R. Hicks, D. A. Black, J. W. Black, A. Upper, J. M. Elliot, H. Bolton, O. G. Anderson, D. Ferguson.
- 87 Rob. Mitchell, A. R. Kerr, Chas. Bixel.
- 40 H. Cameron, R. McDonald, T. Thompson, John Stevenson, E. B. Shannon, George Walker, M. Henry, M. W. Atwood, R. S. Millen, Jas. Webster, S. F. Wilson, D. Welsh, C. Lister.
- 44 R. N. Elliot, J. R. Hughes, C. A. Simmons, W. D. Gilmore.
- 46 G. G. Martin, C. P. Lennox, J. N. Peel, A. D. McDonald, Joseph Quinn, Wm. Cochrane, H. B. Darr, Geo. Cornwall, T. B. Mapp.
- 61 J. Colvin, L. Jones, M. Collins, J. F. Webster, A. Lambert, R. Laidlaw, Robt. Young, C. F. Petherick, J. A. Douglas.
- 62 Jno. A. Walker, G. H. Harris, Jno. W. Lawrence.
- 68 Jas. Poole, Wm. Wilson, Jr., Wm. Raney, D. McLeran, F. Tesky, George Winters, Samuel Moffat.
- 64 Alex. Allan, W. H. Ironsides, Wm. Stewart, J. Ferris.
- 65 Wm. Brydon, J. Clemenyer, E. Gray, J. McQuillan, J. A. Smith, W. H. Fraser, John C. Howe, Thomas Johnston.
- 66 Wm. Wagstaff, Jr.
- 69 H. G. Thurber, G. E. Bull, John Booth, Adam Johnston.
- 72 John Turnbull, W. Winter.
- 75 J. Lithgow, R. Quinn, D. C. Featherstonhaugh.
- 76 S. Paling, J. W. Short, P. McDonald, R. Laidlaw, B. Shepherd, G. R. Bracken.
- 77 T. B. Tate.
- 82 R. Sullivan, F. B. Farnsworth.

- 90 Wm. A. Peter.
92 J. W. Millar.
95 R. G. Laycock, J. E. O
A. House, J. Grun
96 Wm. Morrison, Wm. C
100 O. McDonald, R. Scott
108 R. Campbell, J. W. &
Rees, Peter McCart
106 Wm. S. Hurd.
109 Hiram Allen, Wm. Car
110 J. M. Walsh, J. A. Lai
115 John H. Walker, J. Su
B. Dean, R. Hen
Tufford.
116 C. D. Cornell.
119 F. Calvin, Jas. Grah
Alex. Kennedy, G. I
120 Edward Osborne, D. Mc
129 J. W. Clift, P. McMahon
Wm. Linton, F. W.
188 T. Bissett, Wm. Norris,
Croker, T. S. V. Hut
185 W. E. Mitchell

No. of
Lodge.

- 141 J. H. McClay, A. Stephens, W. Thompson, Geo. Way,
A. Goebel, T. B. Scott, Wm. McCallum.
- 143 H. Caldwell, T. Ransom, W. H. Dillabaugh, C. A.
Wallace, B. C. Rose, J. C. Henderson, H. McEwen,
P. Sawdon, J. Hydman, G. E. Dillabaugh, D. M.
Wyatt, C. Clelland, A. McDaniel, I. N. Guthrie.
- 144 John Montieth, John Birch.
- 147 F. L. Stephenson, T. Daye.
- 149 J. W. Stewart, G. H. Wiggins, J. W. Mann.
- 155 G. L. Mitchell, Thomas Chambers.
- 161 C. Curtis, F. Milne.
- 164 E. H. M. Baker, W. McDonald, J. Savage, A. W.
Spencer, J. O. Reynolds.
- 166 John Inksetter.
- 168 R. Findlay, J. J. Yokom, J. B. Tufts, H. W. Hobson, D.
E. Evans, S. H. Glasgon, E. A. Gill.
- 169 J. Boylen, C. Ekins, G. Ekins, H. Morningstar, N.
Jordan.
- 170 Wm. White, A. W. G. McDougall, T. K. Anderson.
- 171 John L. Decow.
- 172 J. T. Baker, G. Dryden.
- 176 J. Marshall.
- 178 T. J. Kerslake, Jas. Prentice, J. Brundle.
- 184 George Gray.
- 185 H. Cooper, J. Hannah, J. Trotter, Philip Senn, W.
Wickett.
- 190 S. Cline, R. F. O'Neil, H. Gram, R. Tooley, N. Pelo,
Jas. Campbell, E. Cerpron.
- 195 W. C. L. Gill, A. P. Tryent.
- 196 John Fawcett.
- 201 Wm. B. Carroll.
- 203 J. Croyden, C. E. Perry.
- 209a J. J. Brown.
- 203 James Jackson, John B. Brady.

- 220 George Wheeler, W.
Priner.
- 221 A. Bray, W. H. Caley
Jamison, Sr., J. T.
- 228 J. Calder, M. McKay,
Dewart, J. A. Buck
- 224 G. H. Carter.
- 228 T. K. Ross.
- 231 James Leamy, A. Lea
- 237 Levi Mack.
- 239 W. P. Kerr, P. C. F
Detlor, J. W. Thi
Warren, L. S. Nash
- 241 Wm. Wilkinson, A. Bo
- 247 Geo. L. Tizard, Albert
- 250 James Jarvis, D. Ross,
McKay, Geo. Lamp
- 258 Robert Bryson, J. S. S
- 262 Robert Kerr.
- 263 Thos. Moad, J. Vance,
Donald.
- 267 J. Churchill, J. B. Pike
Ewing, W. H. Hind

No. of
Judge.

- 0 F. C. Qualhlens, A. J. Collins.
 5 J. Robb, F. English, Jas. Gerolamy.
 7 W. A. Mishaw, H. C. Hamacher.
 8 O. Ellwood, L. D. Close, E. Peebles, D. Jones, J. G. McKay, H. Kelso, T. Harris, W. Fraser, S. A. Cargill, G. C. Holmes, George Collis.
 5 D. Mollison, Chas. Webster.
 11 J. E. McGarvin, T. D. Hall, A. Winlow, D. C. Robertson, Jas. Ryder, J. C. Anderson, J. B. Secord.
 6 G. A. Mitchell.
 8 D. H. Proper, W. H. Dawdy.
 9 J. Mallendine, J. S. Palmer, J. Mortimer, A. McLean.
 12 W. E. Abbott, R. H. Charles, J. G. Ashley, N. Orr, Robt. Smith, S. Thornton, Wm. Raymond.
 50 Jas. A. Lyon, H. F. Eley, J. Zinkin.
 58 A. T. Blackwell, A. S. Currie, George Gould, W. H. Smith, John Wright, W. Christian, J. Tansley, G. W. Rawlings, S. J. F. Bullen.
 59 H. Jones.
 37 J. Rankin, Wm. Axford, Wm. Hill, J. Kincaide, J. Winchester, O. Wilby, George Munro.
 38 Chas. E. Field, Arch. McAnall, J. H. Brooks.
 71 L. R. Clesby, E. Beauzalin.
 38 Asa Beach.
 36 John McEachern.
 91 James S. Schneider.

RESTORATIONS.

No. of
Judge.

- 2 H. Goring.
 7 Thomas C. Brownjohn.
 11 George J. Potts.
 20 Charles Holmes.
 38 George Hilton.
 34 Edwin Dunstan.

No. of
Lodge.

- 40 Lindsay Crawford.
- 41 Lewis Malott.
- 46 H. A. Giles.
- 52 H. W. Bennett.
- 56 Wm. Farr.
- 57 George W. Johnson.
- 63 Benjamin Code.
- 64 Jacob Harens, Wm. J. Smith, A. W. Mitchell, John
Richards.
- 69 W. H. Phillips.
- 74 M. McWood, J. Whaley, S. J. Bellamy, C. McNish.
- 78 Jacob Glover.
- 81 Wm. Whittaker.
- 88 S. G. Chamberlain.
- 91 George E. Chapin, John Keith, Jas. Black, Jas. 1
Redfearn.
- 93 Thomas Bradley, N. Smith, J. Pinkerton.
- 95 Jas. Smith, W. Z. Watts, J. E. Bullock, S. Chiswe
- 100 Wm. McFederation, A. S. Ogg.
- 103 W. H. Fletcher.
- 104 Wm. Strode, Wm. F. Coker.
- 106 James Poole.
- 109 Alex. Church.
- 112 T. Huckstep, S. H. Detlor, Abram Smith.
- 121 Henry Holding.
- 125 John Ridley, E. W. Dickinson, J. C. McDougall.
- 129 George Wilkinson.
- 131 George E. Smith.
- 135 J. D. Matheson.
- 136 Hiram Johnson, J. Stephenson, E. S. Goodrich.
- 139 Andrew D. Fox.
- 140 E. R. McCreadie, A. D. Smith.
- 141 Wm. Thorn.
- 143 Wm. Adams.
- 147 Henry Flett.

No. of
Lodge.

- 155 H. J. Anderson.
161 M. H. Fieldhouse.
168 Robert Stevenson.
177 J. W. Whiteford.
188 Wm. Hern, H. O. Canning.
192 Duncan McNabb.
195 E. W. Syer.
208 John Richardson.
209a R. Wigmore, J. B. McDonald.
216 James Bullivant, John K. Riddall.
218 S. E. Gibbs, Jas. Kelly, J. Malindine, Thos. A. Thompson.
221 W. S. Smith, Henry Vanderburgh.
224 Alex. Merner.
229 John James.
231 Thomas F. Forfer, G. Levin.
235 R. D. Young.
241 Thomas Earle.
247 Robert Coghill.
255 S. Clarke.
256 George Hodgins.
261 Thomas Montford.
262 David Leach.
270 A. P. Cameron,
286 G. T. Brown.
294 J. Farquharson, W. G. Edwards, N. Carpenter, Charles Chubb, James Miller.
312 James L. McDonald.
320 Wm. Gillespie.
364 D. Small, James E. Northcott, J. W. Campbell.
380 C. J. Smith.

19	John Hill
20	C. Holmes
20	J. W. Hook
20	Wm. Hooper
20	John Brown
22	G. L. Allen
23	Wm. French
24	Jason Gould
27	J. D. Fringle
27	Thomas Zealand
28	Eli Hurd
32	M. Gash
39	George Neal
40	James Ellis
42	H. W. Thompson
42	Adam C. Johnson
43	Joseph Metherel
43	Robert McWhinnie
45	John V. Weinang
45	Wm. Stubbs
47	Charles Richings
52	James Egleson
52	H. Merrill
54	Jesse Martin
54	T. S. Raith
54	Charles Vardon
55	Francis J. Mahon
61	Alex. Duncan
62	Wm. H. Nelles
63	T. S. Sherley
64	George Christie
64	G. B. Gray
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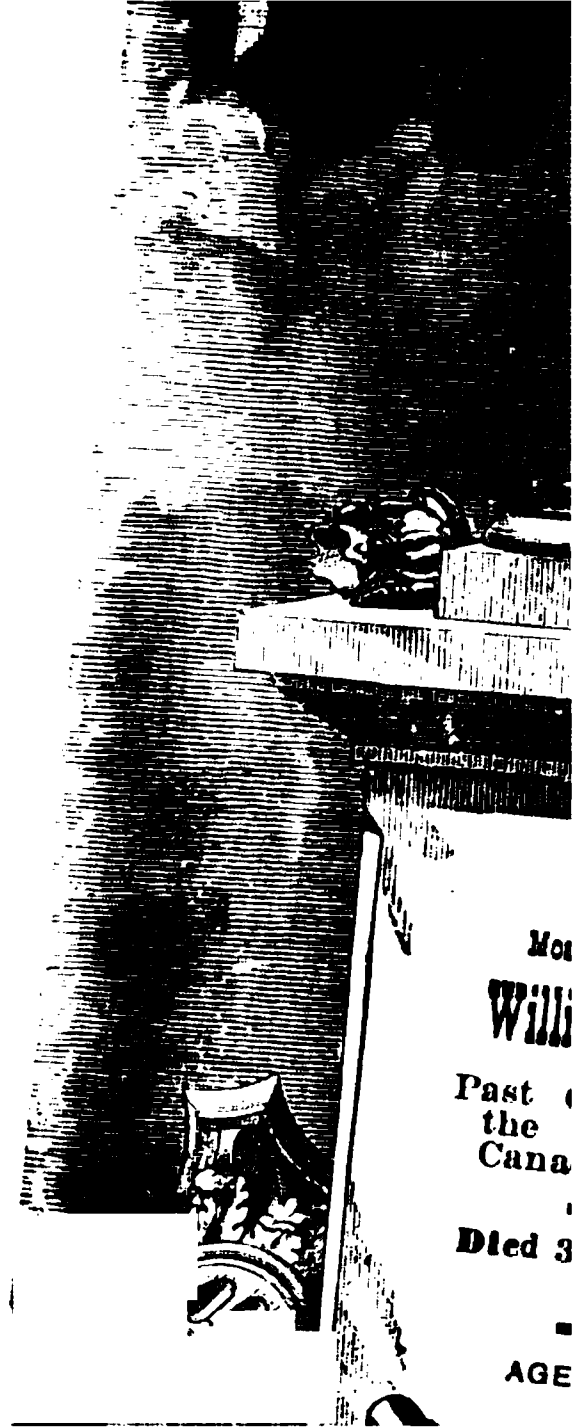
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NO. OF LODGE.	NAME.	DATE.
82	W. Totten.....	No date.
83	James McNeice ..	February 12....1883
85	Wm Baillie.....	No date.
86	W. H. Archer ..	March 14... ..1883
87	Arthur A. Spaight	May.. ..1882
88	John McDougal ...	September 13...1882
90	Joseph Kennedy	January 9.....1883
91	George Goslee ..	April 30.....1882
92	Thomas Seall	September 20...1882
92	Benjamin Holder ..	May 17... ..1883
92	William Johnston..	June 23.....1883
93	Wm. K. Robinson ..	November 9 ....1882
95	Wm. Lewis .....	.....1879
95	Wm. Narraway ..	.....1880
101	D. G. Hatton ..	November 22 ...1882
103	Wm. J. Doran.....	December 11 ...1882
103	Henry Carlisle.....	December 13 ...1882
103	W. R. Bates.	February 18....1883
103	William Faulds	March 10... ..1883
103	Robert Bald.....	June 2... ..1883
103	J. Adams.. ..	April 18
104	Edwin Underwood.....	December 29 . .1882
107	William Beattie	April 26.....1883
112	Andrew Kirby.....	No date.
113	W. H. Cunningham ..	February 15....1883
120	D. J. McGearhy..	June .... ..1882
121	Frank Bartle	February 18....1883
123	Isaac Blair ..	July 6.....1882
125	P. E. Adams ..	December 15 ...1882
125	T. P. Davis	June 23.....1883
128	William Collins..	January.....1883
129	S. H. Ashton ..	November 28 ...1882
129	James Nichols.....	June 5.....1883
133	Joseph Acheson..	November 14 ...1882
133	Thomas Page	No date.
140	George Newell.....	March 17... ..1882
141	Thomas Matheson	May 4.....1883
142	C. DeCastle	February 11....1883
143	A. C. Bowen ..	January 3.....1882
143	John S. Ross ..	July 1.....1882
148	T. D. Harington	July 13.... ..1882
148	Fred H. Hunter	May 5.....1882
151	H. M. Anderson	October 11.....1882
151	William Leighton..	April 19.....1883
155	Robert Westcott.....	April 13.....1883
155	Samuel White.....	September 1....1882
159	James Wallace.....	September 26...1882
159	Stephen Scott	November 18 ...1882

177	John C. Doan
177	A. D. McGregor.....
183	H. Merrill.....
183	John Pearce.....
192	William Bennett.....
194	John A. Frost
195	R. H. Stewart.....
195	Donald Currie
203	R. J. P. Morden
205	Andrew Gordon
209a	Alex. Baird.....
209a	William Rooks
209a	James O'Brien.....
216	R. Stevenson
218	John Davison..
218	J. Garbutt.....
218	Sam. McBride.....
218	William Tate..
219	John Stitt.....
229	William Thompson...
229	Wm. Clark
239	W. J. Ewart
239	Ben. Ridley.....
241	J. F. Burr.....
242	N. Roblin.....
242	Wm. Guild
247	George May
250	Robert Wood..
253	Angus Kerr
253	W. C. James
257	William Monahan
258	S. Richardson
262	Robert Corbet
264	S. R. Lennox
264	W. McK. Wright

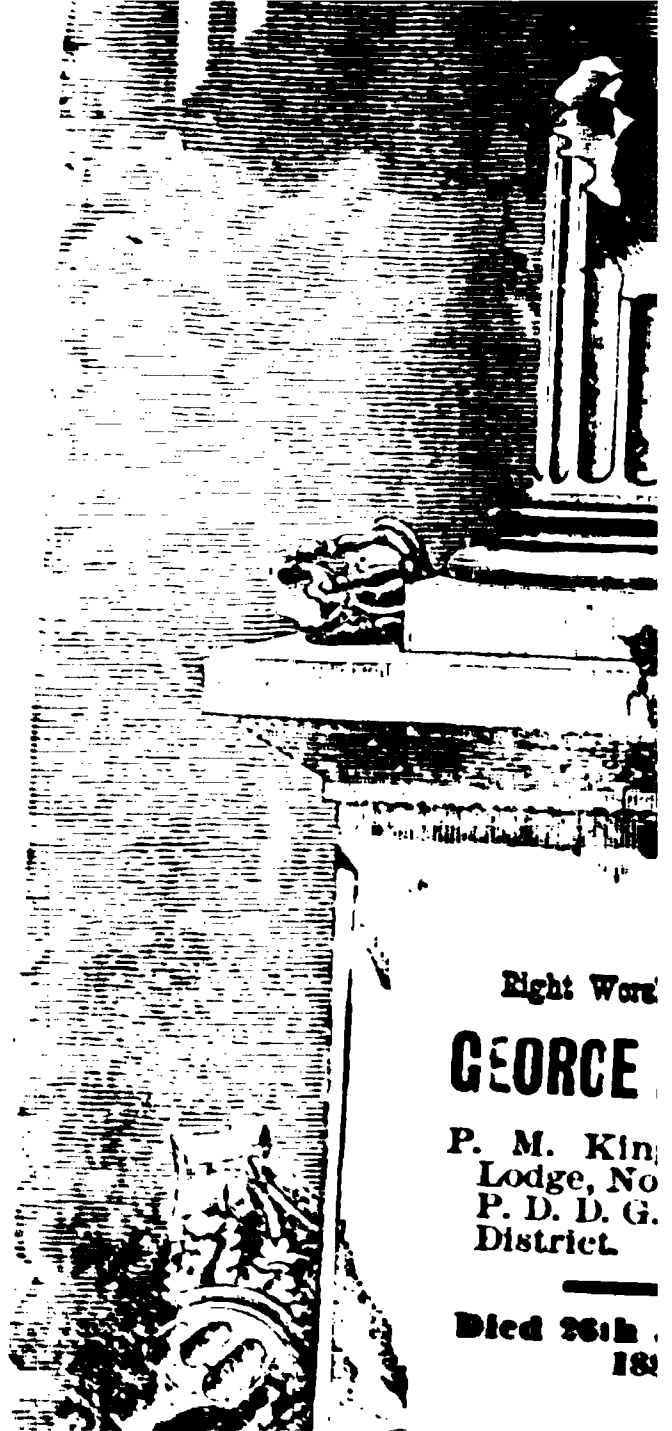
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NO. OF LODGE.	NAME.	DATE.
308	J. Fred. Mallory.....	May 6.....1882
314	Geo. R. Kerr.....	March 28....1883
315	Daniel Smith.....	May 16....1883
324	Alex. Duncan.....	September 13..1882
329	John H. Doan.....	July 31.....1882
330	John Piggot.....	January 7.....1883
330	B. W. Hamilton.....	May 12....1883
337	E. H. Robertson.....	May 8...1883
339	Wm. Greenwood.....	November 11...1882
339	Jas. McFarland....	January 10...1883
339	Wm. Rowland.....	June 10.....1883
340	Wm. Hysop.....	August 29.....1882
341	A. McDougall....	April 13.....1883
342	Wm. Tandy.....	February 23....1882
342	J. L. Barstow.....	April 29.....1882
349	J. C. Stacey.....	February ....1882
355	Jas. H. Stewart...	May...1883
362	Robert Young.....	May 26....1882
368	Geo. K. Houston....	June 4....1882
371	John Cregan.....	January 6.....1883
372	Chas. A. Bown.....	Sept. 29.....1882
380	J. T. Sainsbury....	March 29...1883
382	Anson Mills.....	July 24....1882
390	Robt. McMillan....	June 25.....1883



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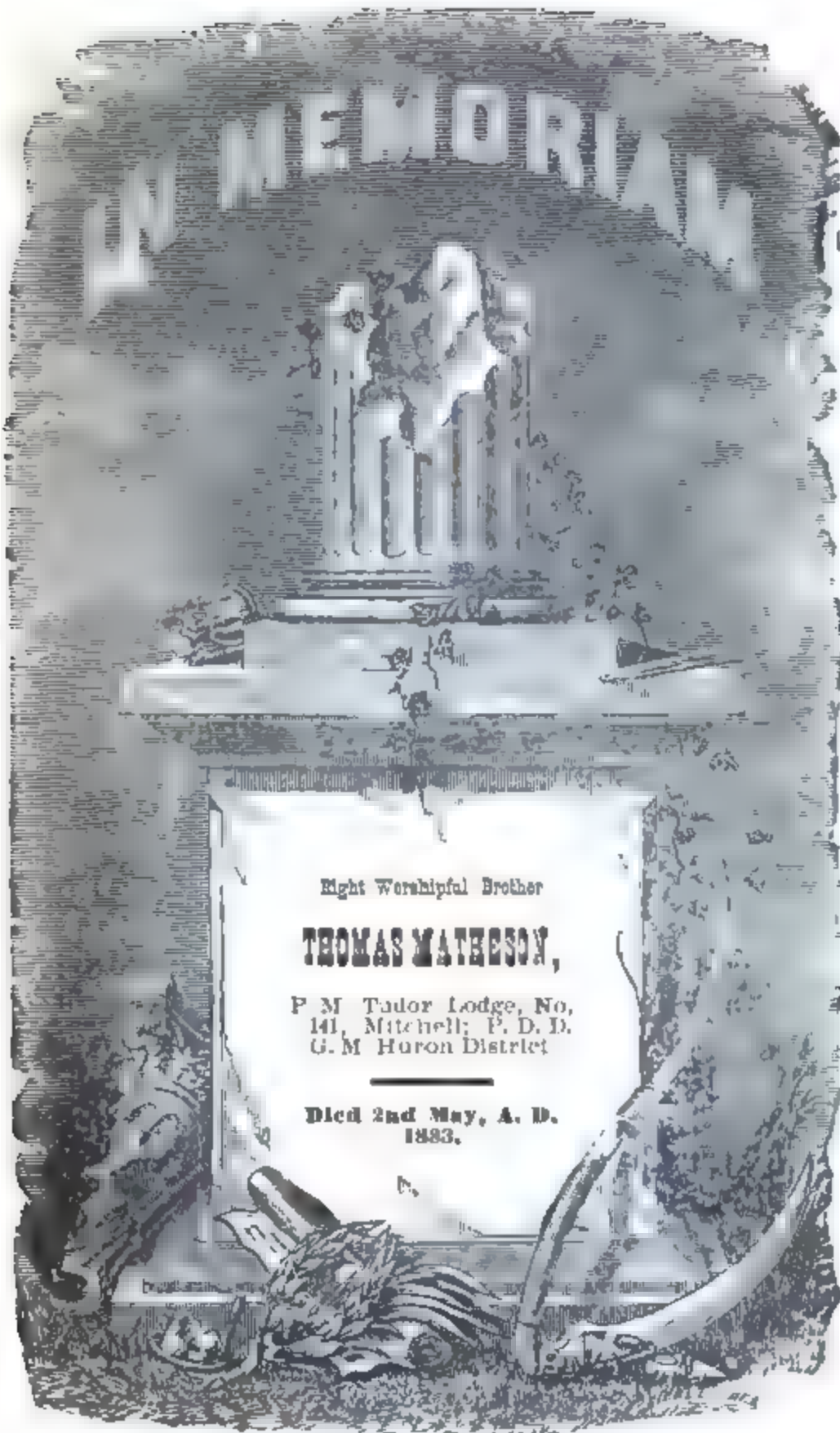


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Lodge, No
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SYNOPSIS OF THE RETURNS OF LODGES.

For the Year ending 24th June, 1883.

No. of Lodge.	Initiations.	Passings.	Raisings.	Joinings.	Withdrawals	Deaths.	Susp. N.P.D.	Susp. U.M.C.	Expulsions.	Restorations.	Total.
2....	1	1	1	....	3	....	3	....	....	1	42
3....	5	5	4	2	4	2	5	....	....	....	110
5....	8	7	5	....	3	....	....	....	....	....	117
6....	12	11	13	6	9	2	8	....	....	....	199
7....	2	2	3	2	..	....	1	....	....	1	47
9....	1	2	1	3	1	....	....	....	....	....	60
10....	4	3	4	6	3	....	5	....	....	....	80
11....	7	5	4	...	4	....	2	....	....	1	74
14....	5	5	5	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	44
15....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	116
16....	4	3	7	3	4	....	....	....	....	....	144
17....	..	1	2	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	75
18....	16	12	12	2	6	2	15	....	....	....	117
20....	15	16	16	5	3	4	....	....	....	1	150
22....	11	11	14	1	1	1	4	....	....	....	173
23....	2	2	3	....	5	1	1	....	....	....	40
24....	1	2	2	....	1	1	....	....	....	....	50
25....	6	5	4	3	8	....	1	....	....	....	95
26....	2	1	1	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	53
27....	5	7	10	3	7	2	....	....	....	....	196
28....	....	....	....	....	....	1	3	....	....	....	53
29....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	40
30....	1	2	2	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	62
31....	3	3	4	1	1	....	....	....	....	....	65
32....	3	2	2	3	4	1	....	....	....	1	85
33....	....	....	1	....	1	....	8	....	....	1	42
34....	1	1	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	1	43
35....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	40
36....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	40
37....	5	5	4	2	....	....	3	....	....	....	84
38....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	57
39....	1	1	1	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	45
40....	16	11	7	2	2	1	13	....	....	1	238
41....	1	....	....	1	1	....	....	....	....	1	70
42....	3	3	3	3	2	2	....	....	....	....	123
43....	3	2	3	1	1	2	....	....	....	....	79
44....	4	4	2	3	4	....	4	....	....	....	113
45....	3	3	2	3	....	2	....	....	....	....	73
46....	9	8	8	3	3	....	9	....	....	1	61
47....	6	6	8	5	3	1	....	....	....	....	103
48....	4	4	5	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	59
50....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	45
52....	7	5	5	1	3	2	....	....	....	1	....
54....	1	1	1	....	1	3	....	....	....	....	....
55....	4	5	6	1	1	1	....	....	....	....	....

62..	4	4	3	
63..	4	4	4	
64..	14	10	11	
65..	18	16	17	
66..	....	....	....
68..	4	5	4	
69..	8	6	5	
72...	3	3	7	
73..	4	1	1	25
74..	5	5	5	3
75...	2	1	3	1
76..	8	7	5	3
77..	3	....	....	1
78..	12	9	10	5
79..	3	3	1	1
80..	....	....	....	....
81..	5	5	6	3
82..	1	1	1	....
83..	8	9	12	....
84..	....	....	....	....
85..	3	3	5	....
86..	10	7	6	3
87..	3	3	3
88..	7	2	1
89..
90..	5	2	2	4
91..	5	5	4
92..	2	3	3	1
93..	5	5	6	1
94..
95..	2
96..	5	3	3	1
97..	8	8	8	1
98				

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No. of Lodge.	Initiations.	Passings,	Raisings.	Joinings.	Withdrawals	Deaths.	Susp. N.P.D.	Susp. U.M.C.	Expulsions.	Restorations	Total.
108..	4	4	3	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	25
109..	4	2	3	....	10	....	2	....	....	1	40
110..	1	3	7	1	1	....	2	....	....	....	88
112..	3	3	3	....	1	1	....	....	....	4	70
113..	2	2	1	1	3	1	....	....	....	....	58
114..	....	1	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	38
115..	5	5	4	....	3	....	9	....	....	....	43
116..	5	5	5	1	....	....	1	....	....	....	29
118..	8	5	7	....	4	....	....	....	....	....	32
119..	4	4	4	....	2	....	6	....	....	....	30
120..	....	....	....	....	4	1	3	....	....	....	27
121..	1	1	....	2	1	1	....	....	....	1	52
122..	2	4	2	1	1	....	....	....	....	....	44
123..	7	4	4	1	4	1	....	....	....	....	101
125..	4	3	3	....	1	2	....	....	....	3	60
126..	3	2	2	1	1	....	....	....	....	....	33
127..	1	2	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	47
128..	5	5	6	2	1	1	....	....	....	....	79
129..	5	5	5	1	3	2	6	....	....	1	56
131..	2	1	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	1	34
133..	5	5	6	1	4	2	7	....	....	....	75
135..	3	6	5	....	2	....	8	....	....	1	68
136..	5	5	3	1	3	....	....	....	....	3	35
137..	7	7	6	3	2	....	3	....	....	....	72
139..	2	3	3	....	1	....	4	....	....	1	49
140..	5	5	5	....	1	1	2	....	....	2	60
141..	3	5	6	1	2	1	7	....	....	1	44
142..	5	5	4	2	0	1	....	....	....	....	55
143..	3	3	1	....	2	2	14	....	....	1	45
144..	4	2	3	1	4	....	2	....	....	....	88
145..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	40
146..	1	1	1	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	49
147..	8	8	8	....	3	....	2	....	....	1	35
148..	2	2	2	3	3	2	....	....	....	....	59
149..	4	4	4	....	1	....	3	....	....	....	51
150..	7	7	7	1	3	....	....	....	....	....	16
151..	1	....	1	2	2	2	....	....	....	....	60
153..	5	6	3	....	7	....	....	....	....	....	43
154..	3	4	4	1	1	....	....	....	....	....	51
155..	6	6	6	3	2	2	2	....	....	1	57
156..	1	2	1	1	1	....	....	....	....	....	57
157..	3	6	8	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	49
158..	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	34
159..	10	5	5	....	....	5	....	....	....	....	51
161..	6	6	8	....	3	2	2	....	....	1	49
162..	3	2	2	1	1	....	....	....	....	....	24

168..	5	3	2	1	
169..	1	....	1	....
170..	14	10	9	4	
171..	5	4	4	....
172..	....	1	....	....
174..	5	3	1	1	
176...	3	3	1	1	
177..	....	1	1	....
178..	2	2	1	....
179..	....	....	....	....
180..	3	4	4	1	
181..	....	....	....	....
183..	13	11	10	....
184..	....	1	1	....
185..	2	3	3	....
186..	....	....	....	....
189..	....	1	....	....	2
190..	2	2	2	....	10
192..	7	7	8	3	2
193..	3	3	3	....	2
194...	2	....	....	2	1
195..	1	....	....	1	3
196..	4	5	5	1	1
197..	6	6	6	4	5
200..	2	....	....	....	3
201..	2	2	3	1	4
203..	4	3	3	2	1
205..	....	1	2	2	2
207..	4	4	2	3	7
209 _a	9	9	13	2	5
209..	7	7	5	....	..
210..	1	1	1	....	2
212..	....	....	....	1	1
213..	....	....	....	....	....

of the Returns of Lodges for the year ending 24th June, 1888— Continued.

Initiations.	Passings.	Raisings.	Joinings.	Withdrawals	Deaths.	Susp. N.P.D.	Susp. U.M.C.	Expulsions.	Restorations	Total.
1	1	....	....	2	....	6	....	....	....	23
2	....	....	....	5	....	1	1	....	1	25
4	2	2	....	4	....	....	....	....	....	74
2	2	2	3	4	....	1	....	....	....	51
7	5	5	1	5	2	....	....	....	1	86
9	10	10	13	2	....	....	....	....	....	60
2	3	4	2	4	....	2	....	....	2	41
3	4	4	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	29
9	9	5	2	5	....	....	....	....	....	45
1	2	1	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	46
8	6	7	1	7	....	....	....	....	1	37
1	2	1	1	2	....	....	....	....	....	22
....	1	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	30
8	8	6	1	3	....	....	....	....	....	50
5	4	2	1	3	2	11	....	....	....	26
2	2	2	....	15	1	4	....	....	1	25
2	1	2	1	2	2	....	....	....	....	49
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	53
5	5	5	1	6	....	....	....	....	....	52
6	5	7	6	5	1	3	....	....	1	77
....	....	....	....	....	....	25	....	....	....	7
5	....	....	10	....	....	....	....	....	....	24
6	8	7	....	2	1	9	....	....	....	58
4	4	4	1	4	2	....	....	....	....	93
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	61
3	1	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	46
6	3	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	51
8	8	6	1	....	1	....	....	....	....	61
4	4	4	3	....	1	2	....	....	....	72
3	4	2	....	5	....	....	....	....	....	32
3	3	3	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	43
4	3	3	1	....	....	....	1	....	1	20
4	4	4	1	2	1	1	....	....	1	66
6	6	5	2	6	....	5	....	....	....	47
4	4	3	....	2	1	....	....	....	....	65
2	....	....	2	1	....	....	....	....	....	29
1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	26
11	7	11	2	3	....	12	....	....	....	70
6	7	3	1	1	....	....	....	....	....	45
1	1	1	....	2	....	3	....	....	....	38
6	5	3	....	1	....	....	....	....	1	56
4	4	5	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	28
7	9	9	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	43
1	2	2	....	4	....	....	....	....	....	52
1	1	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	25
5	4	4	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	51

280..	...	...	...
281..	...	...	...
282..	2	3	3
283..	10	8	9
284..	7	4	5
285..	7	5	2
286..	5	4	4
287..	2	1	1
289..	1	1	1
290..	9	10	6
291..	1	1	2
292..	1	1	...
293..	...	...	...
294..	1	2	1
295..	5	8	7
296..	6	3	4
297..	...	...	...
299..	4	2	1
300..	4	2	6
301..	3	...	1
302..	2	3	4
303..	5	5	5
304..	3	3	3
305..	3	3	3
306..	2	3	1
307..	1	1	1
308..	...	...	...
309..	7	7	7
311..	5	8	5
312..	19	17	18
313..	4	1	2
314..	4	3	4
315..	...	...	...
316..	17	...	...

Synopsis of the Returns of Lodges for the year ending 24th June, 1883—Continued.

No. of Lodge.	Initiations.	Passings.	Raisings.	Joinings.	Withdrawals	Deaths.	Susp. N.P.D.	Susp. U.M.C.	Expulsions.	Restorations	Total.
328...	7	2	5	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	44
329...	1	2	2	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	44
330...	7	5	9	1	3	2	...	...	...	...	69
331...	2	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19
332...	1	2	2	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	40
333...	10	9	6	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	37
334...	8	6	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33
335...	5	5	5	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	23
336...	1	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	27
337...	2	2	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	26
338...	1	1	5	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	22
339...	18	17	16	2	2	3	4	...	...	...	89
340...	3	2	2	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	38
341...	8	5	5	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	52
342...	6	4	5	...	3	2	7	...	...	...	31
343...	4	3	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	36
344...	2	2	2	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	44
345...	2	5	5	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	41
346...	6	5	5	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	103
347...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	38
348...	6	4	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	41
349...	2	2	1	4	1	1	...	...	...	...	45
350...	7	6	6	1	5	...	3	...	...	...	34
352...	11	9	10	4	4	...	...	...	...	...	50
353...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18
354...	2	1	1	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	36
355...	4	5	5	1	3	1	...	...	...	...	28
356...	9	9	10	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	49
357...	9	9	8	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	43
358...	3	3	3	...	2	...	9	...	...	...	33
359...	9	8	7	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	43
360...	2	2	4	1	4	...	...	...	...	...	43
361...	4	3	1	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	54
362...	7	7	6	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	29
363...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33
364...	9	9	5	1	9	...	...	...	...	3	42
365...	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	34
366...	1	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	68
367...	9	10	14	3	9	...	7	...	...	...	66
368...	7	6	5	2	5	1	3	...	...	...	32
369...	8	3	3	1	5	...	...	...	...	...	46
370...	12	12	9	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	39
371...	6	7	5	4	2	1	2	...	...	...	50
372...	1	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	18
373...	4	3	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	26
374...	3	2	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	18

377..	5	5	5	
378..	7	9	3	
379..	7	6	6	
380..	7	7	6	
381..	....	....	....
382..	11	14	11	
383..	6	6	5	
384..	11	12	12	
385..	5	6	9	
386..	8	5	5	
387..	....	....	....
388..	4	4	4	
389..	5	3	1	
390..	5	3	3	
391..	3	1	3	
392..	12	10	9	
393..	5	4	3	.
394..	10	9	8	.
395..	7	7	6	
396..	5	4	4	
397..	4	6	4	
398..	11	1	....	.
399..	3	3	2	
400..	7	5	5	.
401..	....	....	....	.
402..	....	....	....	.
U. D..	....	....	....	.
	1450	1302	1258	4

RECAPITULATION

OF THE RETURNS OF LODGES FOR THE YEAR ENDING 24TH JUNE
1883, AS FAR AS HEARD FROM.

Lodges Organized and affiliated.....	406
“ Extinct.....	14
“ Ceded to Grand Lodge of Quebec.....	38
“ “ “ “ Manitoba.....	5
“ Number on Roll.....	349
“ Represented in Grand Lodge.....	234
Initiations Reported... ..	1,450
Passings “	1,302
Raisings “	1,258
Joinings “	410
Restorations “	112
Resignations “	771
Deaths.....	168
Suspensions for Non-payment of Dues.....	551
“ for Unmasonic Conduct.....	5
Members in Good Standing.....	18,442

- Gross receipts for the year ending 31st May, 1883..\$18,044.90
- Assets of Grand Lodge as per Grand Treasurer's
Statement 31st May, 1883.....\$67,719.65

	"	John M. Gibb
	"	Wm. Gibson..
	"	J. G. Burns..
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	"	A. McGinnis..
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Oregon.....	"	"	C. D. Macdonnell, Peterborough.
Pennsylvania....	M. W.	"	James Moffat, London.
Rhode Island.....	V. W.	"	Robert Lewis London.
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Tennessee.....
Texas.....
Utah.....
Vermont.....
Virginia
Washington Territory...
West Virginia.....
Wisconsin.....
Wyoming.....

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